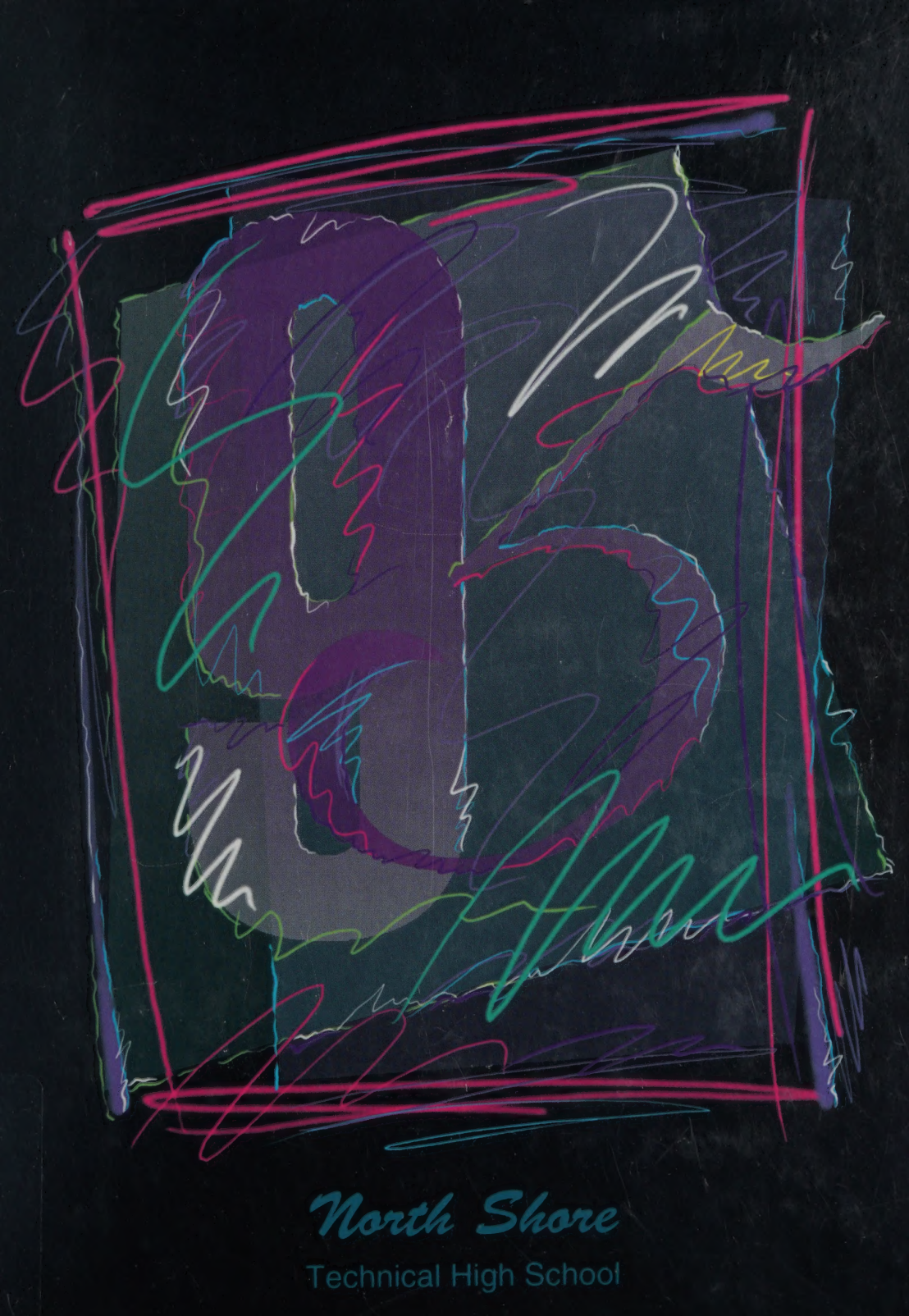

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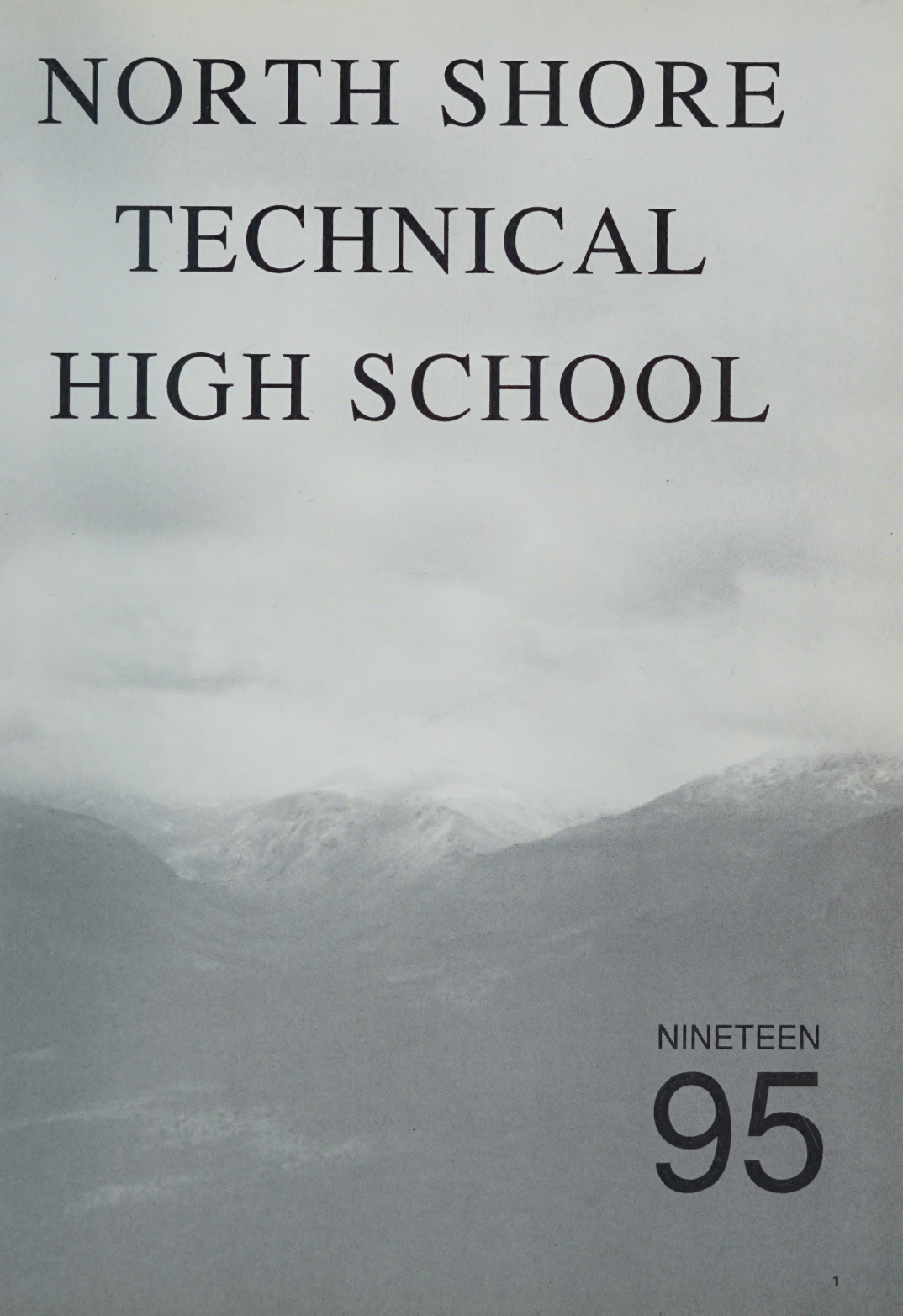

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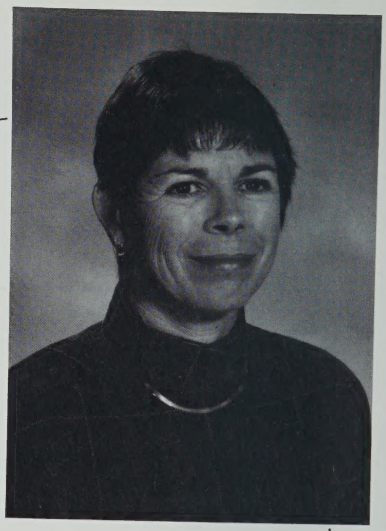

To the Class of 1995:

You are the last class to have begun your high school years at North Shore Technical High School's Beverly location. Thank you for moving with us, and for helping to shape the culture of the new North Shore Tech. This change in your school building is but one of the many changes which you will face in your lifetimes, and, although it did not seem easy at the time, it may turn out to be one of the easier changes which you will encounter over the years.

Your teachers have worked hard to impart to you the academic and vocational skills you will need to enter a changing workplace, and to shape the workplace of the twenty-first century.

The North Shore Regional Vocational School District Committee and administration wish you well as you embark on your chosen careers or pursue further education. Use your skills and your knowledge wisely to benefit your communities and society.

Sincerely,

Patricia W. Carlson

Patricia W. Carlson, Ed.D.
Superintendent-Director

PWC/dmh

Participating Communities:

Beverly, Boxford, Danvers, Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Lynnfield, Manchester-by-the-Sea, Marblehead, Middleton, Nahant, Rockport, Salem, Swampscott, Topsfield, Wenham

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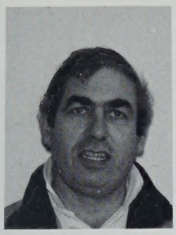
Special Ed



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Building Trades Related

Arthur Bernard
Carpentry

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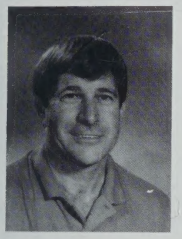
Commercial Art

Eleanor Blatchford
Sm.BusinessRelated



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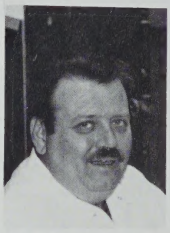
Cosmetology



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Auto Mechanics

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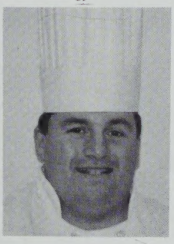
Mathematics

Barbara Dennie
Deaf Education



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English/Reading

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Collision Repair

Roland Dumais
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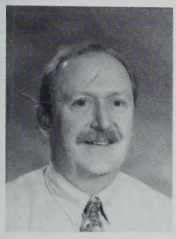

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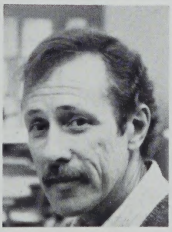

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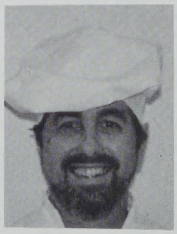
Mathematics



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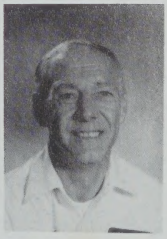

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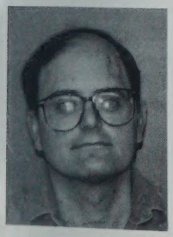

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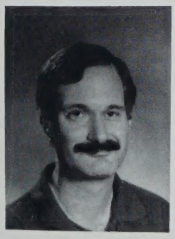
English



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Social Studies

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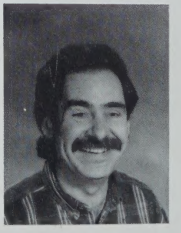
Mathematics



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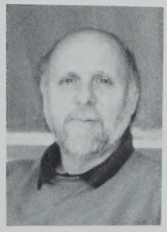

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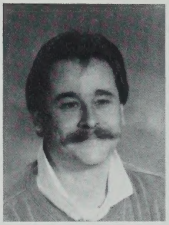

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Welding

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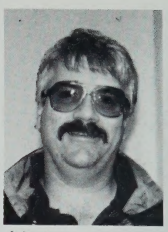

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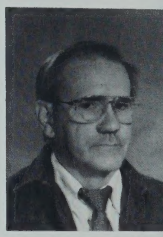

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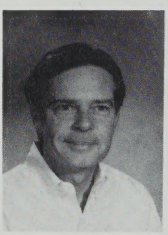

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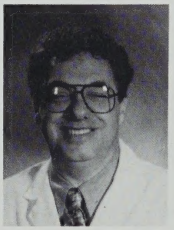

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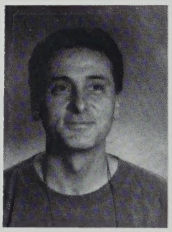

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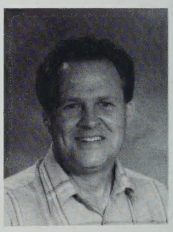

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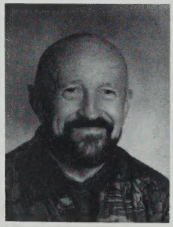

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Tammy Robolico
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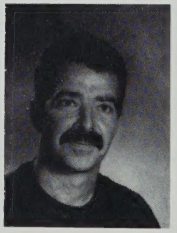

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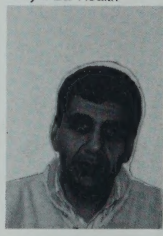
Building Trades

Carol Sullivan
Marketing Education



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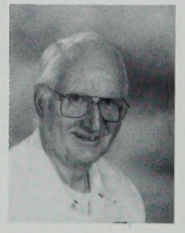

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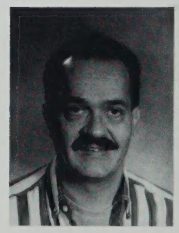

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Math/ Science

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Office Manager

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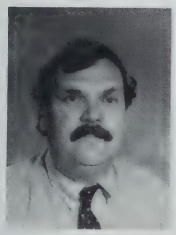

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Student Services

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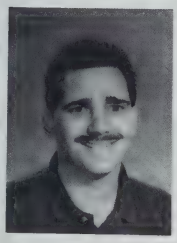

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Interpreter

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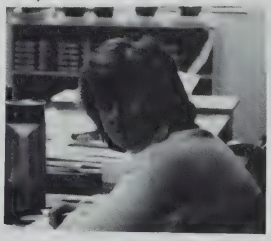

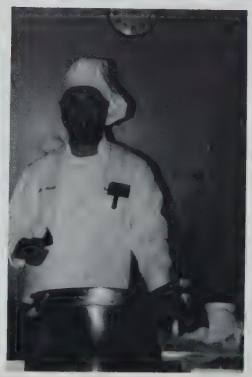

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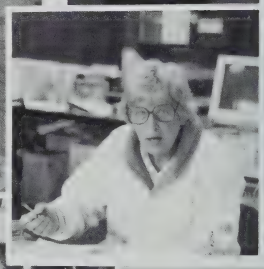
Assistant Principal



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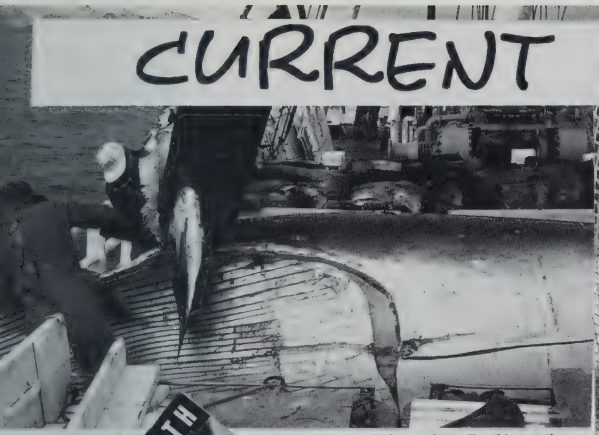

OW TO DISMEMBER A M... s starting work on a whale caught earlier this month

NOBODY HOME: The rinks of the National Hockey League are as empty as major league ball parks in this sad season of labor discontent

Welfare

HEALTH REPORT

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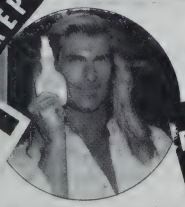
Mother confesses to killing sons

NEWSWEEK POLL

61% would not be upset if Congress passes a constitutional amendment permitting prayer in public schools that is offensive to non-Christians and nonbelieve...

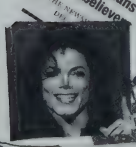


The pitchman with the product

Floods: Once again the Golden State turns to Washington for help

O. J. SIMPSON
L.A. County Jail
His story would have been big in any era; except perhaps for Fatty Arbuck... he is the most fa... American ev... tried for m...

Michael 3, and Alex 14 mo.

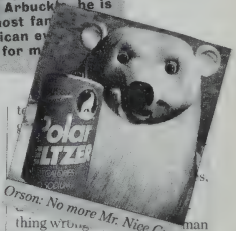


Help.

...pan's devastating quake ... nd offers a scary omen fo...

AIDS Mom's Paws of Life

DOGS, IT SEEMS, ARE ALSO ... their own ... friends. A pooch in Oa... Fla., wa... he ... leash for ... mutt bro...



Orson: No more Mr. Nice Guy

...thing wro... ...man for the Broward Coun... ...eriff. ...lawyers disagree, and hun... ...ding an Alaskan ...e pleaded to ...x surviving ...o be like ...n children ...s amid ever-ring... ...ing pin... Not everyone's seeking a new Fido, though: one Kansas City lawyer called the cops last week and offered to help prosecute.

Savior Sheba bonding with her litter last week

JACQUELINE KENNEDY ONASSIS
1929-1994
Never mind that John F. Kennedy slept with a Mafia moll while he was in the White House. We prefer to remember Camelot. We like to think of Jackie regnant in her pillbox hat.

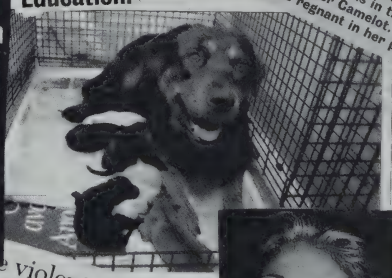
Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy: 1890-1995

YOUNG, ANGRY AND LETHAL

Watch out: aging thugs will be replaced by younger, more violent criminals

Is Gen X really such a mess that no one wants responsibility for leading it?

Education:



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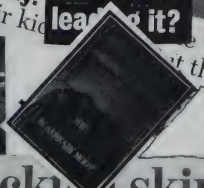
Kurt Cobain, Rock musician, 27

Family: their kid...



...violent streets, mar... ...t that confinement car...

HAITIANS RESCUED AT SEA
Aboard "Merci Jesus"
As immigration became a hot issue in the West, 1994 may be recorded as the Year of the Slamming Door

...nts are keeping ...gers of its own.

Brockton skinhead leader a 46-month prison sentence

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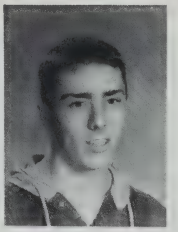
Heidi Abrahams

Zack Abrahams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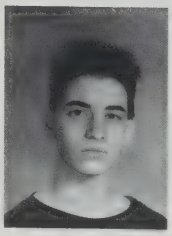
John Addison

Nicholas Aliberti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Mark Beattie

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Sherry Brindle

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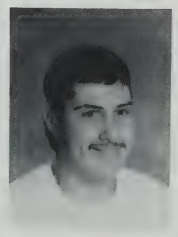
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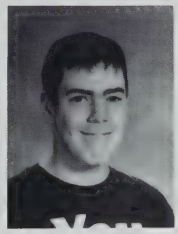
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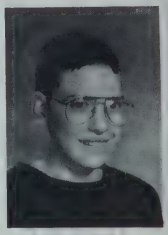

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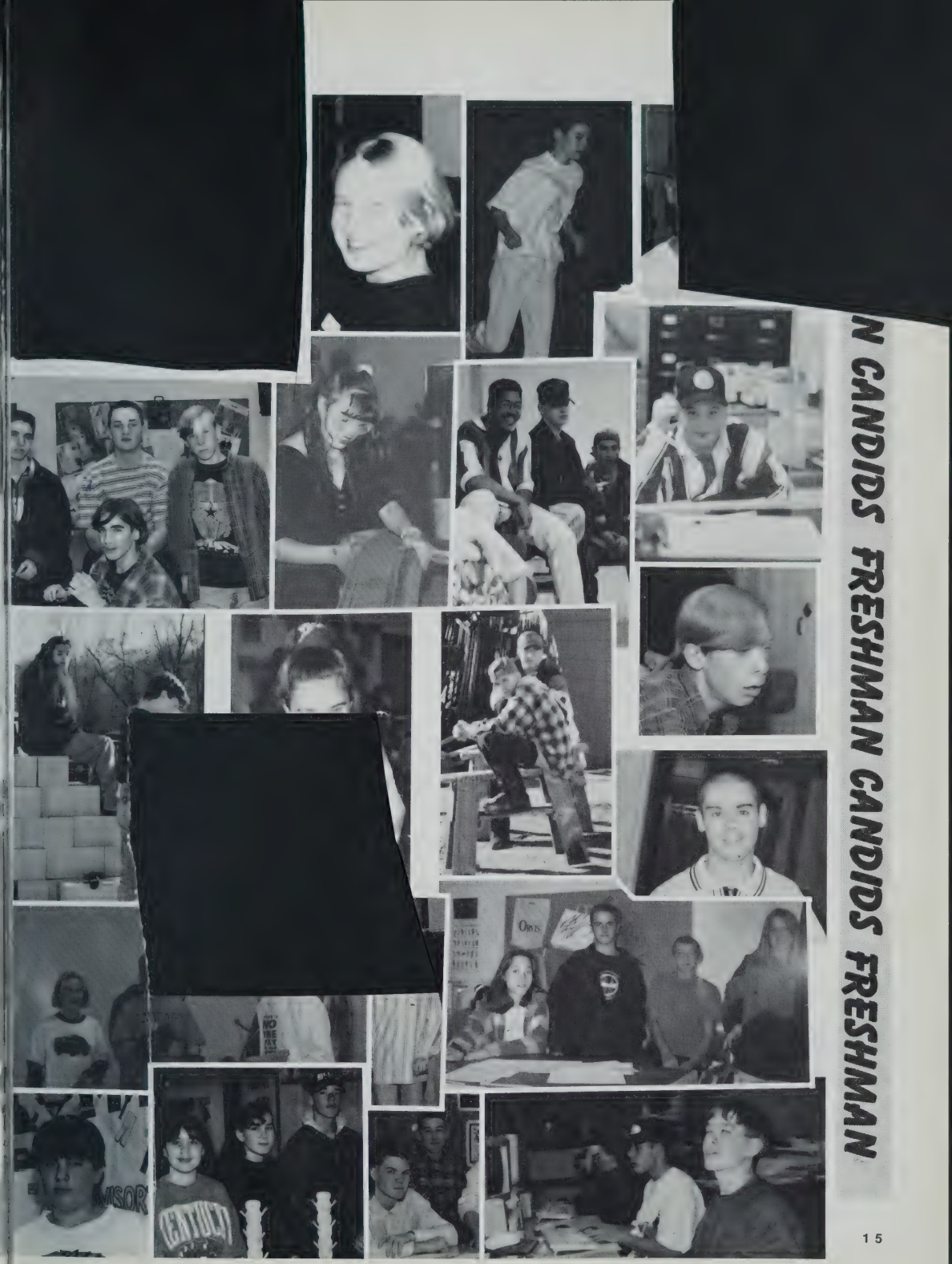

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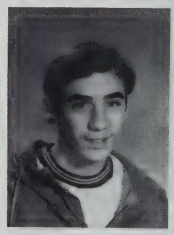

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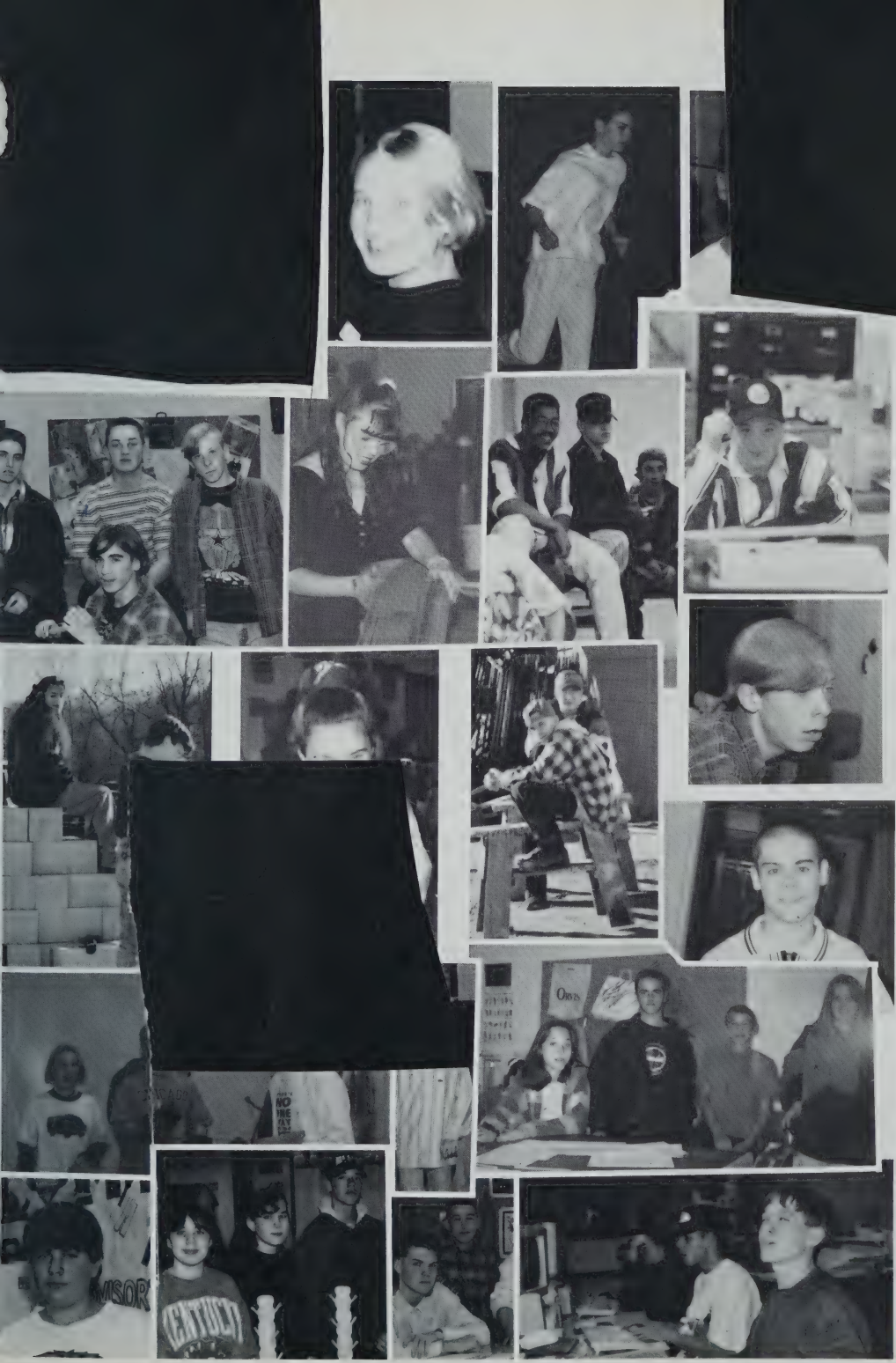

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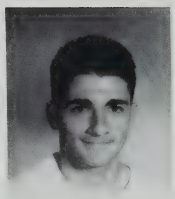
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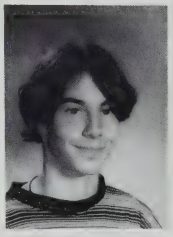
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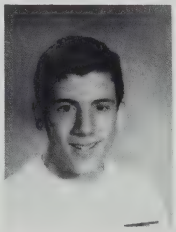
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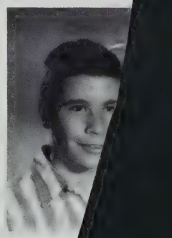
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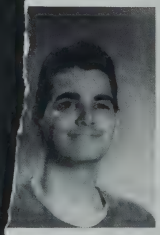
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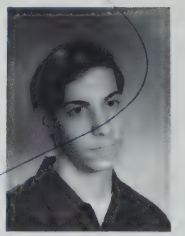
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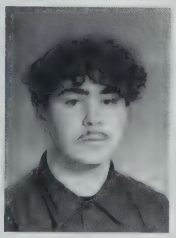
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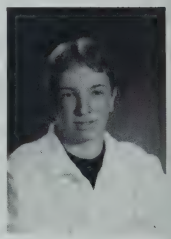
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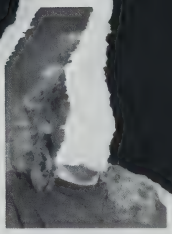

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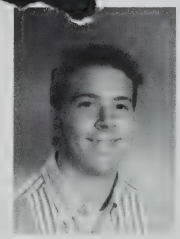

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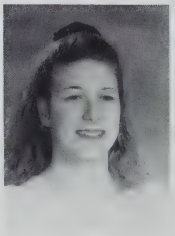
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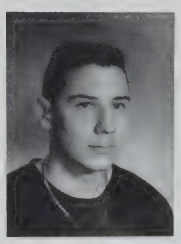
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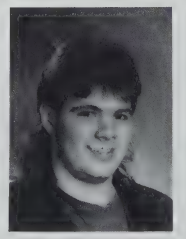
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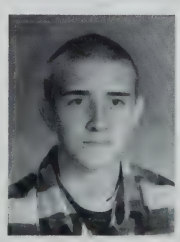
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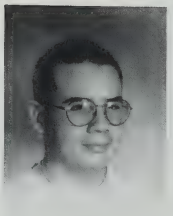
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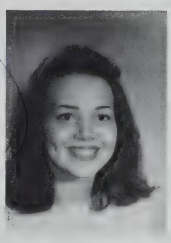
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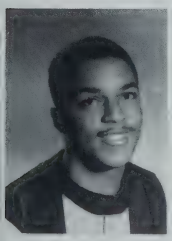
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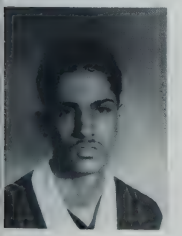
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REFLECTIONS

As i look upon the past,
I some how wish it could last.
To go back would mean a lot,
To change the things i haven't got.
Unfortunately this isn't true,
To do so would ruin me and you.
In the blink of an eye,
We must say our good-bye.
To things we've done,
But look forward to what's to come,
I look at my reflections,
Asking many questions.
I know it has gone,
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It goes to fast,
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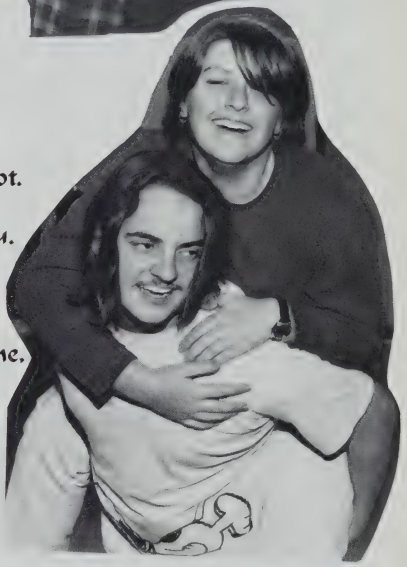

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May all your dreams come true.

Yours truly,

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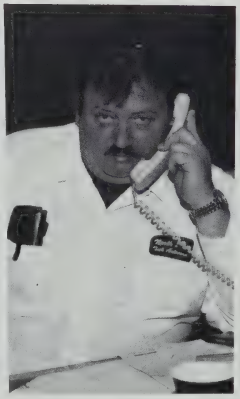

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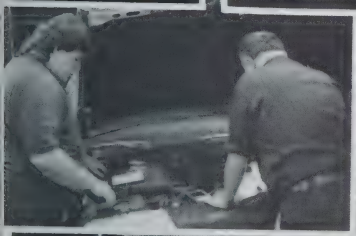

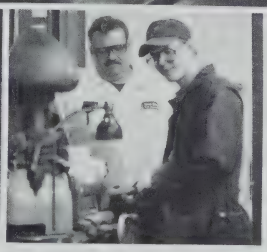

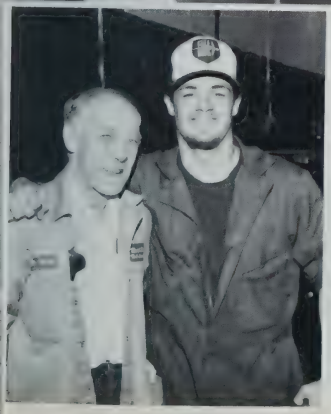

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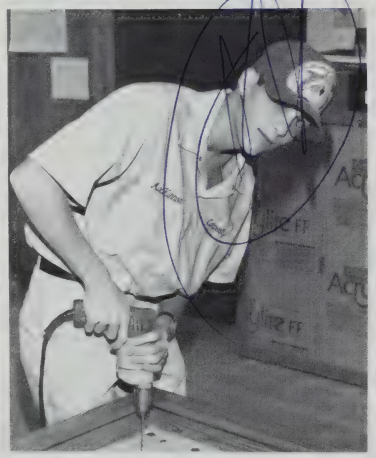

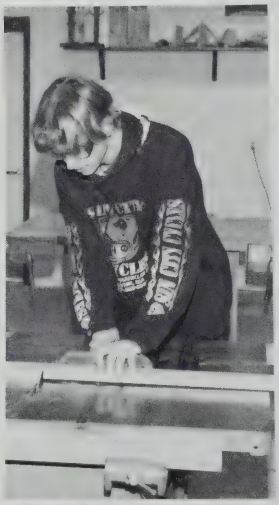

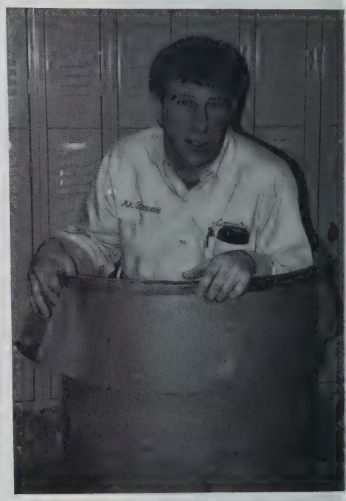

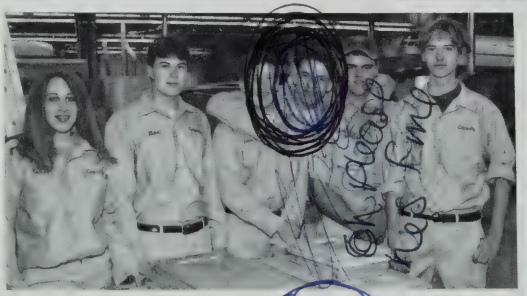

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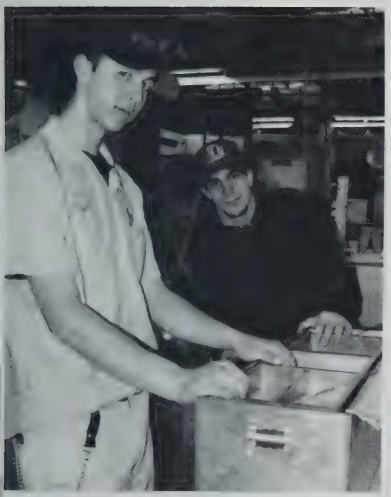

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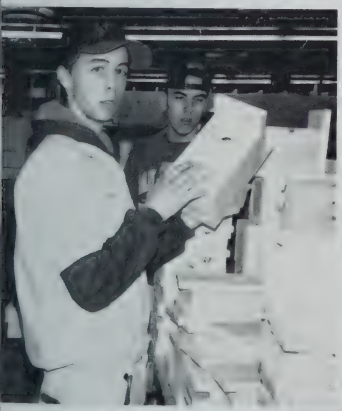

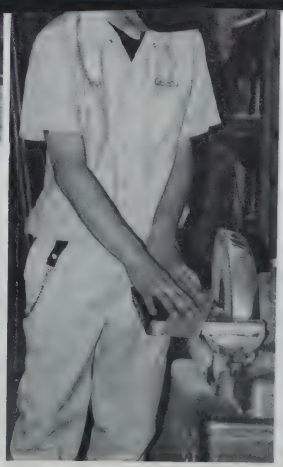

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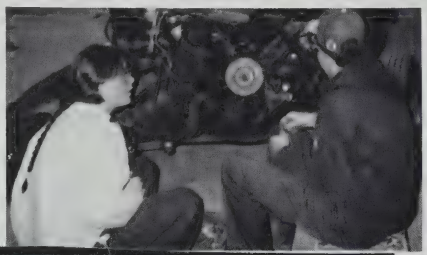

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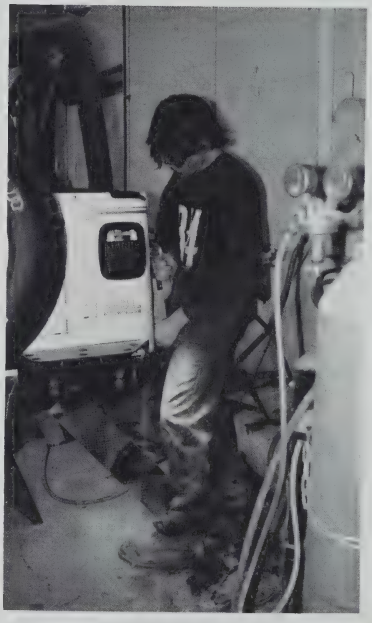

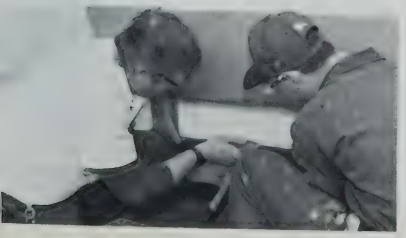

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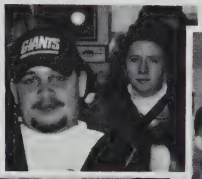

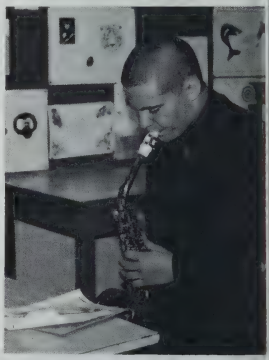

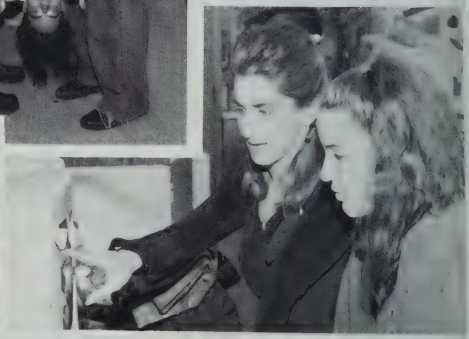

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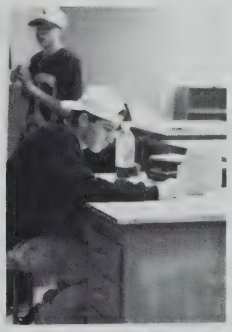
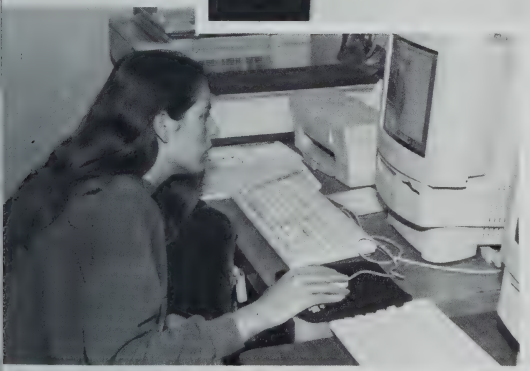
Tammy MacDonald, Luis Gonzalez





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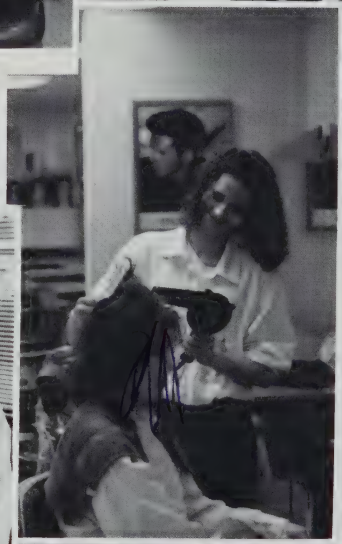

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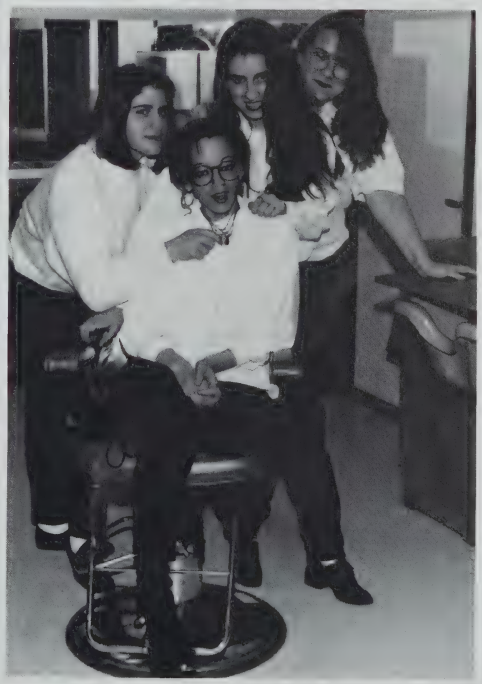

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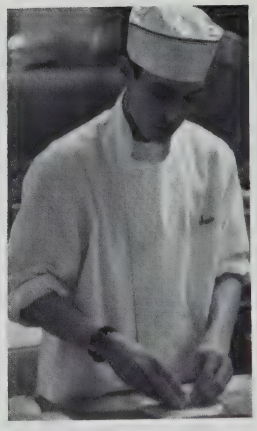

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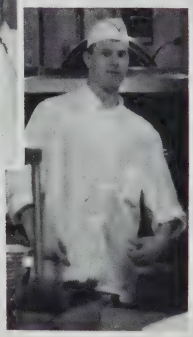

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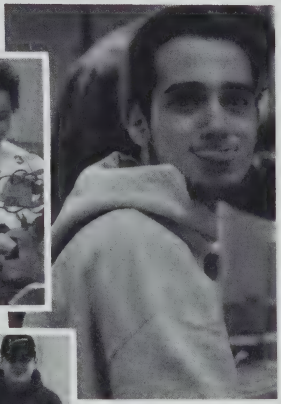

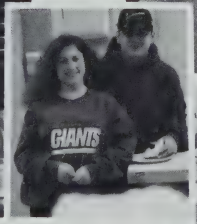

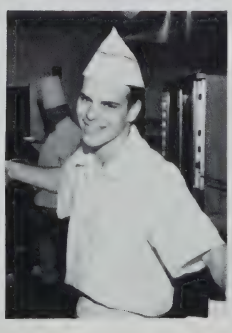

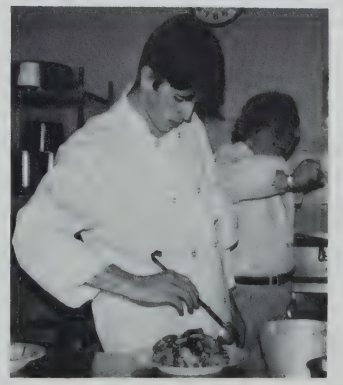

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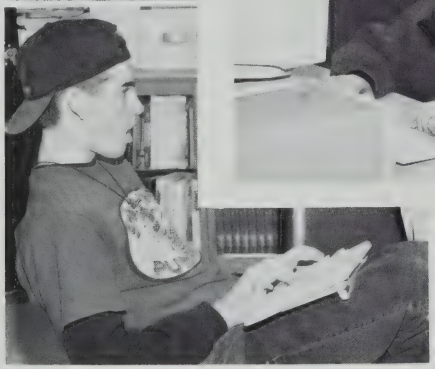

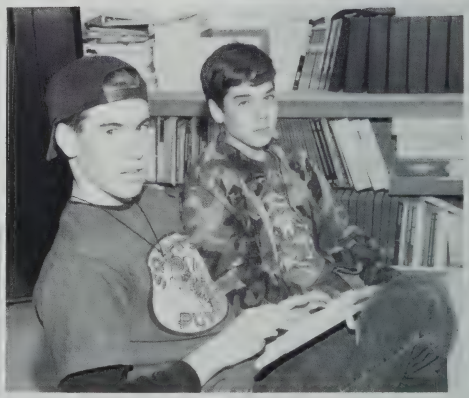

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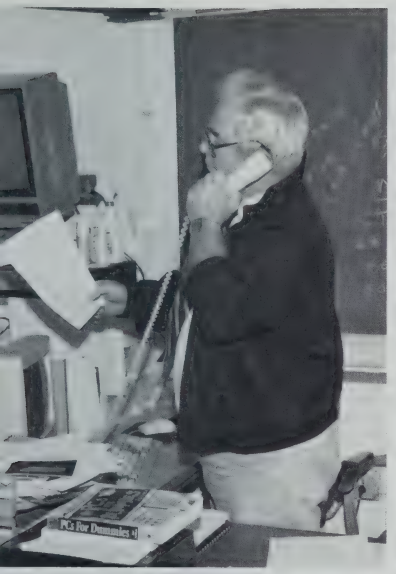

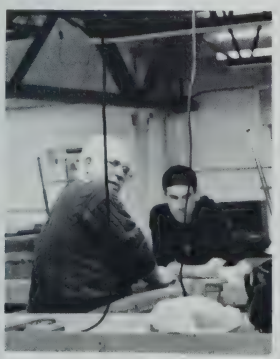

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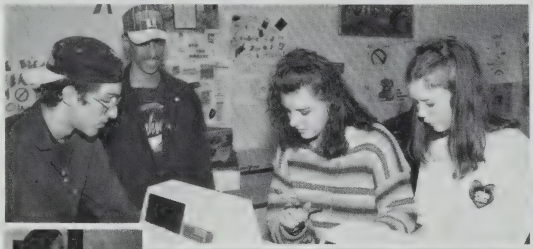
Missing: Steven MacInnis.

SOPHOMORES from left: Mr. Reynolds, Leah Sharamitaro, Leanne Newman, Racheal Cheever, Darcy Lombardi, Brenda Paxson, Jeff Marshall, Amy McLean, David Nunes, Ms. Sullivan, Kendra Andrews, Laura Trull, Jamie Prince, Stan Worthley. Missing: Lizaida Nieves



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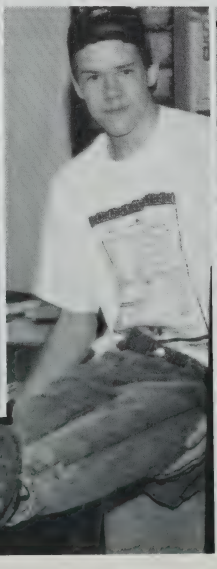

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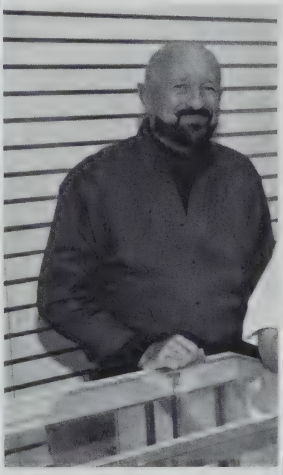
Missing, Shannon Carrier, Jaci Lake



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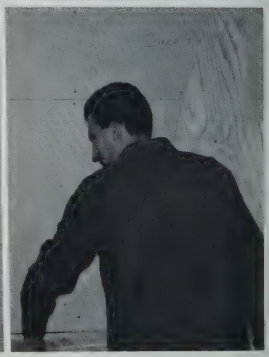
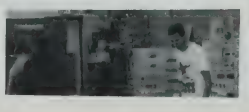
From Left to Right: Joel Flechter, Jim Connors, Craig Tavares, Jason Salvo, Bill Drinkwater, Tim Dermerchant, Kevin Atkins, Robbie Wallace, Steve Moyers, Wayne Maguire, Greg Clocca, David Surette, Melanie Blum





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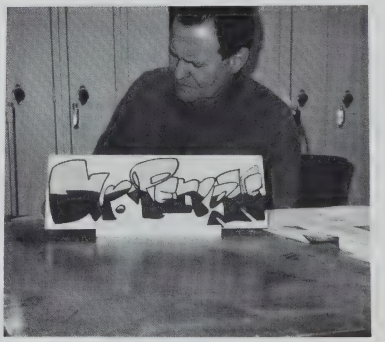

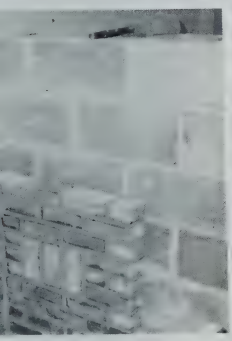

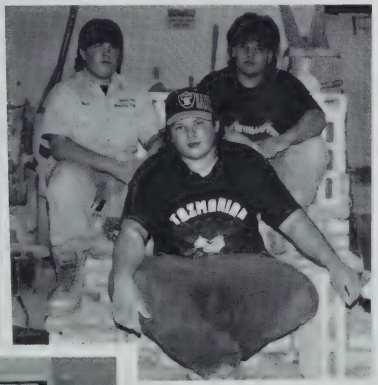

WELDING WELDING WELDING WELDING WELDING

From Left To Right: Phil Bicknell, Steve Sobezenski,Wes Doughty

From Left to Right: Brad Ringuette,Wes Mclean, Brandon Bettencourt, Steven Bennet, Doug Titus, Dawn Duda, Nelson Pereira, Pat Ruane

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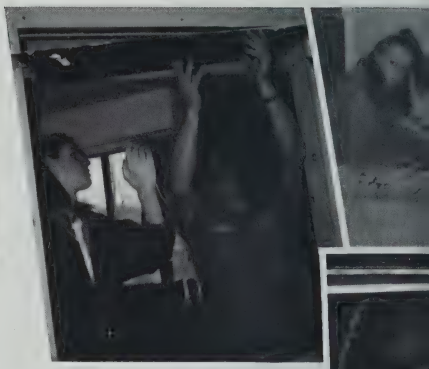
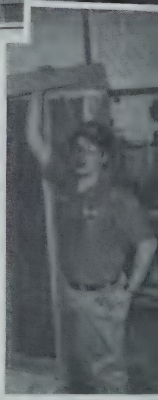
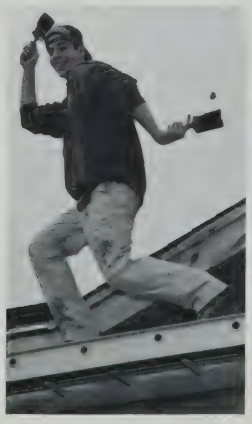
Seniors From Left to Right: Alani Diaz, Jason Hardin, Corey Fitzgerald

BUILDING TRADES BUILDING TRADES BUILDING TRADES

From Left to Right: Judy Carpenter, Heather Mcdonald, Jamie Marshall, Ray Grimes, Jason Harvey, Jason Grant







From left to right: Melissa Jackson, Pete Demarco, Dan Gauin, Rita Lutrzykowski

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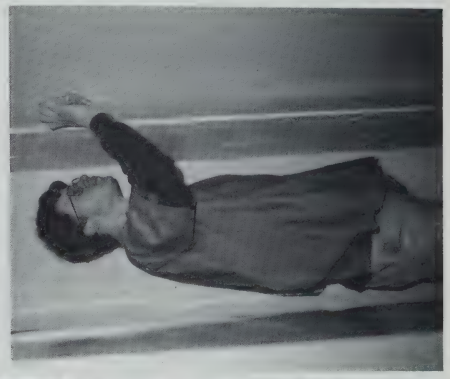

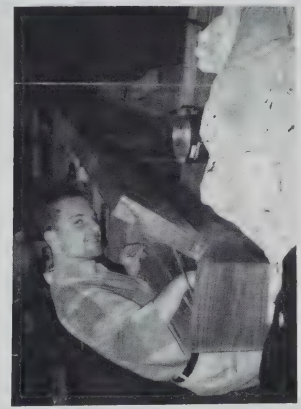

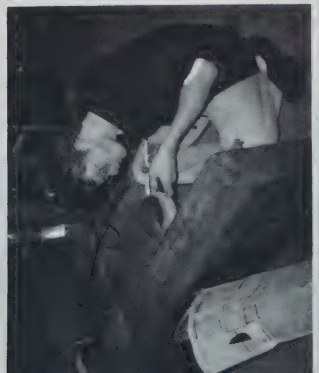

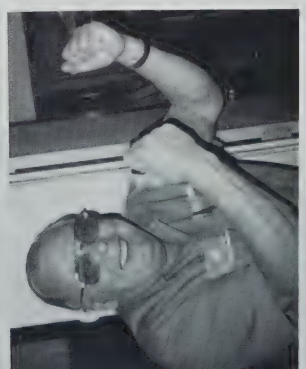

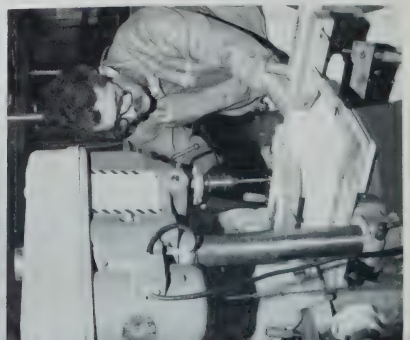

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From Left to Right: Jackie Civitarese, Jen Rodriguez, Kristy Demarco, Melissa Freitais, Jolie Upham, Alyson Redder

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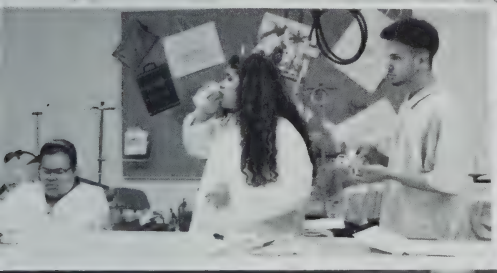
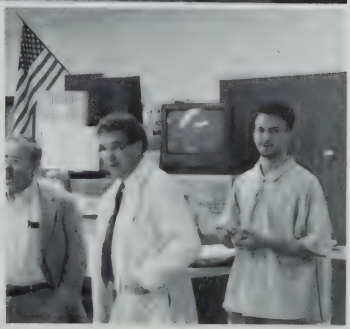
SENIORS: Barbara Tyler, Orlando Severino, Annelly Guerrido, Yasmin Cancel





HEALTH TECHNOLOGY HEALTH TECHNOLOGY

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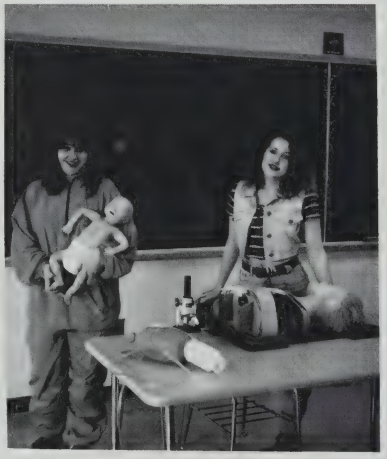

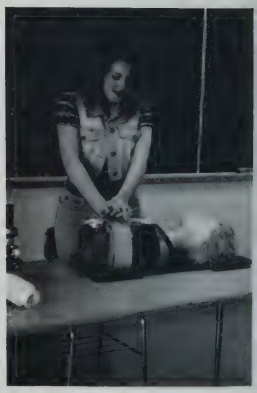

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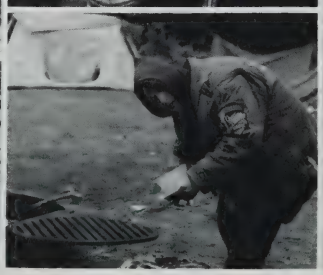
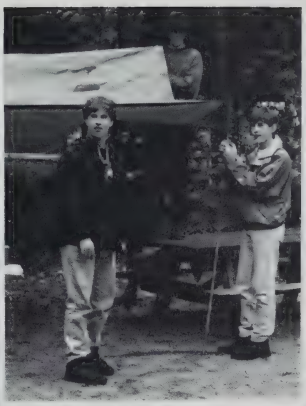
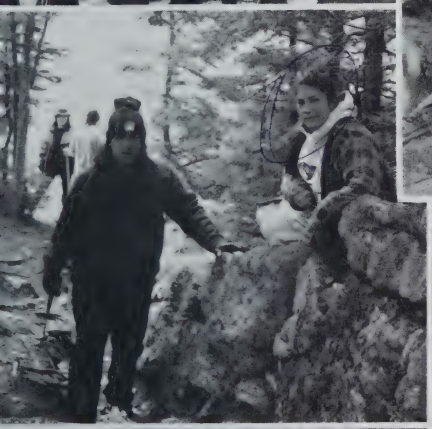
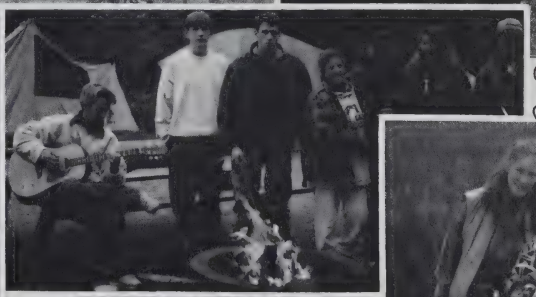
MACHINE TECHNOLOGY MACHINE TECHNOLOGY

Natural Studies



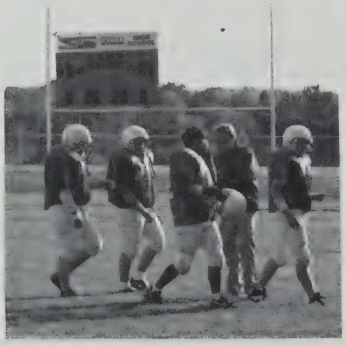


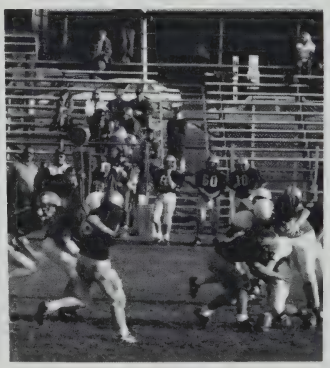



FOOTBALL FOOTBALL FOOTBALL FOOTBALL FOOTBALL

Front Row From Left To Right: Kevin Fleming, Matt Craven, Mike Martin, Mike Giacappo, Joel Fletcher, Joe Medeiros, Russ Mottle, Nelson Pereira, Rick Levesque, Paul Harrington

Back Row From Left to Right: Head Coach : Paul Worth, Asst. Coach: Jeff Milks, Mark Donnay, Brian Poor, Raphael Liberty, Matt Evans, Taamer Fasheh, Steve Marshall, Jason Salvo, Scott Fisher, Asst. Coach: Jim Evans





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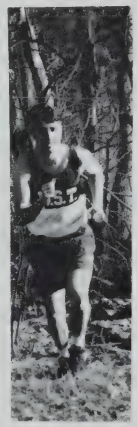

From Left to Right: Orlando Severino, Jeremy Guyotte, Jeff Osgood, Coach Steve Hoggard, Rick Lear, T.J. Tarquinio.
Missing: Joe Surette

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STANDING: Mr. Duda, Bill Bixby, John Mackinnon, Joe Surrett, Jason Jones, Nick Duda, Chris Gendron, Steve Sobezenski, Coree Varjabedian, Pat Gendron, Bill Louis, Coach Gendron. SITTING: James Brown, Cindy Prato, Ed Nolan, Chris Clocher, Chris McDonald

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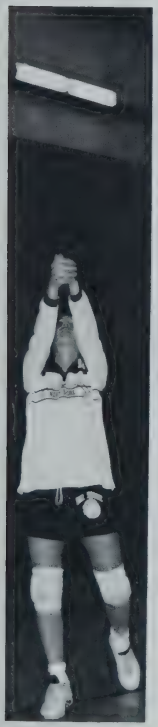

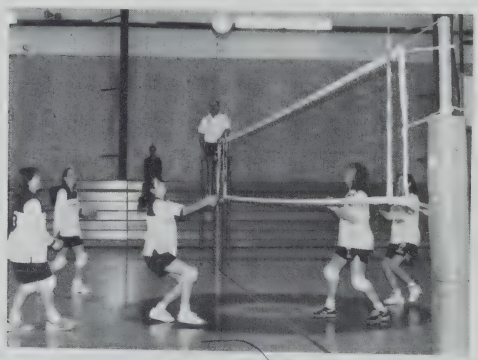

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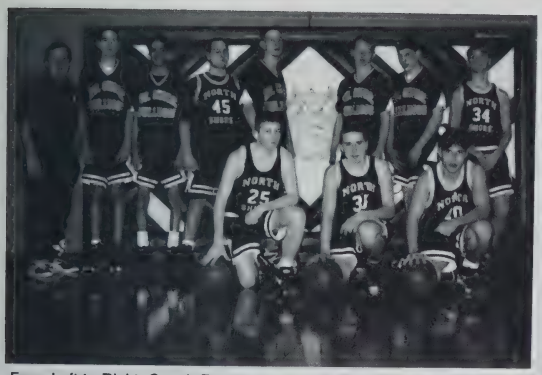

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Front Row L to R: Captains Jannell Remon, Cindy Jo Prato
2nd Row : Brenda Paxson, Gina Mortillaro, Melissa Jackson
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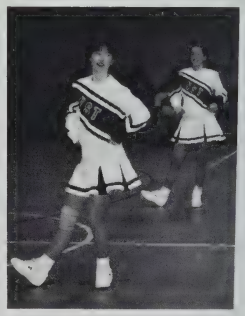

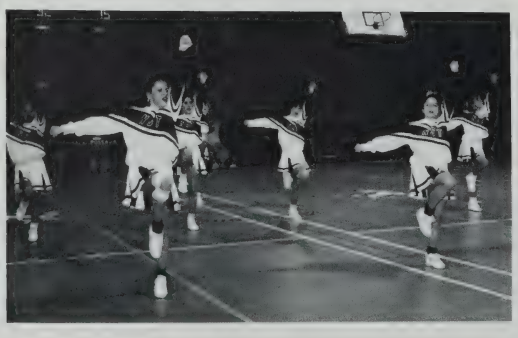

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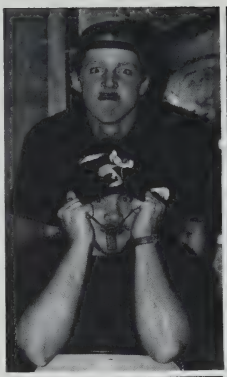

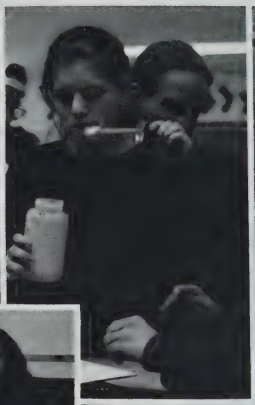

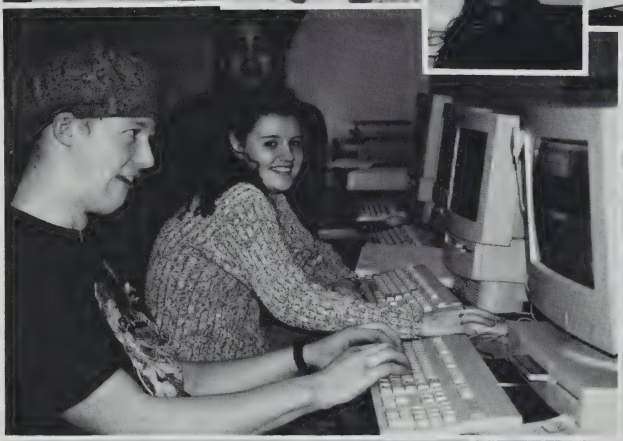

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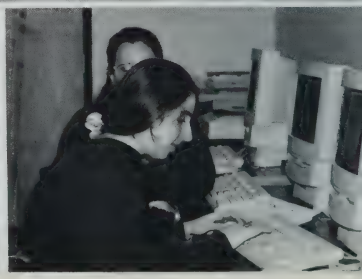
Good luck class of 1995. From Ms. Bianco



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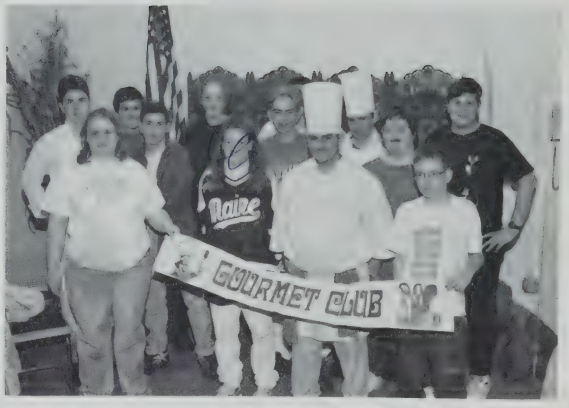

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SENIOR CLASS FAVORITE'S OF THE 94-95 YEAR

MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT
Jannell Remon

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Vanessa Paxson

MOST INSEPARABLE FRIENDS.
Image Farrow & Renee Kelleher
and
Jannell Remon & Cindy-Jo Prato

MOST SNEAKY
Mary Ellen Mitchell

MOST INNOCENT
Vern Walsh &
Barbara Tyler

BEST DRESSED
Image Farrow

NICEST SMILE
Ronnie Miller

NICEST EYES
Kenny Clement

DAZED AND CONFUSED
The Whole
Senior Class

MOST TALKATIVE
Jeannine Henaghan

MALE WOLFE
Dan Lavalla

FEMALE FLIRT
Jaci Lake

MOST ATHLETIC
Joe Surett &
Cindy-Jo Prato

TEACHERS PET
Mimmo Mortillaro

CLASS CLOWN
Nate Cope

MOST GULLIBLE
Erick Korpi

MOST FRIENDLY
Jaci Lake

FAV. FEMALE VOCALIST
Mariah Carey

FAV. ACTOR
Brad Pitt

MOST ORIGINAL STYLE
Mimmo Mortillaro

FAV. CLASS
English

FAV. ACTRESS
Sharon Stone

FAVORITE SONG
On Bended Knee

FAV. MALE VOCALIST
Steven Tyler
& Baby Face

FAV. MOVIE
The Lion King

FAV. T.V. SHOW
Melrose Place

FAVORITE C.D./TAPE
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The Mt. Wash. trip. Playing Tord with V.P.,J.R., Jeremy,, C.J.P., B.W., J.M., S.B., Paddington. W.P. with V.P. All the fun days of video games in the shop. Mr. McCarthy, your beard rules. Holy Grail with Mrs. Mullen. Crusin in the canoe with Brandon. Eggs rule and so does cheese.huh huh... S.L. your a goof. Skinny dippin' with Mimmo. Mimmo you're a crazy man. Checking out that cheese in gym class. Playing with Louie. All the hugs from J.R. and C.J.P. Thanks Mom for all your help. I couldn't have done it without you. Jammin' with Bill and Aaron. I hope we become rich and famous.
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Nathan Cope
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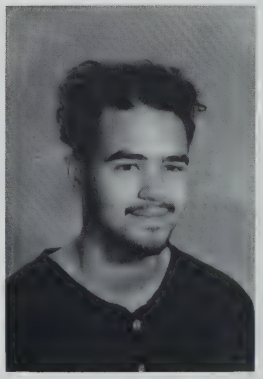

Alani Diaz
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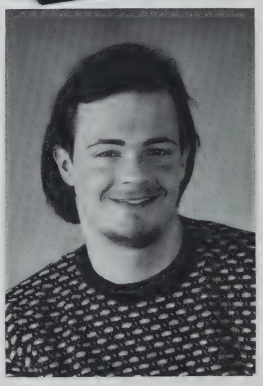

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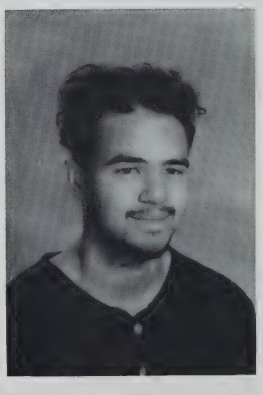

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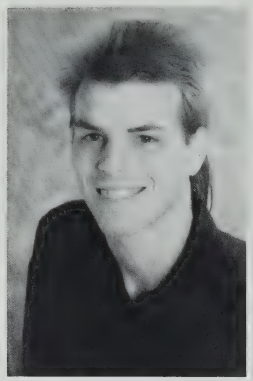
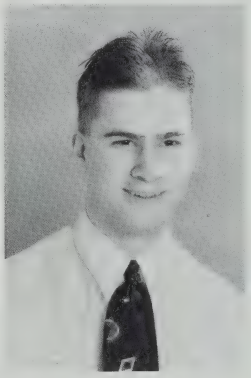


Geoffrey Dubiel
Culinary Arts

O.k., L.D., A.C., A.R., & R.K. thanks 4 being there & helping me realize the sucky 1's. Love U. S.B., S.W., K.M., D.C., A.B., H.K., & C.T. miss you guys. Where are 1/2 of you? Good luck. Hey hi beb "Let's go play" C.M., T.V., okay Renee wasn't it gay? Fruitcakey Ann "yeah you're all there" & #1 against B.B.B. sophomore S.A.B. & 1st time for it all. I'm gone now. Miss you sis & your foul frat parties."sketchy boy" w/S.B. I love you Mommy & Paul & bro's. Cam you are weird you are loved. Justen hope the system does it just for you. Oh yeah Renee, Your outtasi---. Gonna miss this place. No I won't. Do it for the kids. Good-bye.

Image Farrow
Cosmetology



Cory Fitzgerald
Welding

Brandon Grace
Building Trades

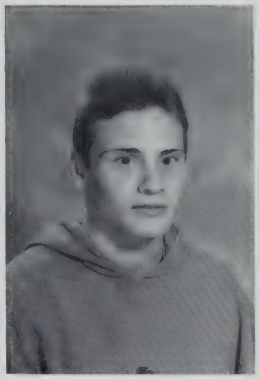
Luis Gonzalez
Commercial Art

To all my friends. We had an Interesting year. D.H . You've been there for me, took me into your family and called me brother. Thanks for the good and bad times.V.T. your a cool chick. You were always there for me when I was going mental. Have fun in college. D.H. & V.T. if you ever need anything at anytime I'll always be there for you no matter were I am.To the guys in my math class J.G., J.R., O.S., Y.C., A.G., R.K., J.H., & B.J. SHUT UP! You talk to damn much. To E.J., & J.M., We had a lot of fun this year. Hope to have as much fun in college. E.K., Stay cool Man. Your great ,have fun were ever you go. Barbara thanks for mentioning me in your memories. Hope you & Tim Have a wonderful life together & Sorry It had to end this way. Ms. B. I'll miss you next year, short stuff, & don't worry you'll find the right guy someday. A.G. Stay on hooked on Phonics. Keep playing pocker buddy, Nate !! By the way guys Don't be so racial!!

Luis Gonzalez

P.S. J.S., Remember red heads turn me on.

The wierdos from Electronics,S.C.,S.M.,N.C.,B.W. Doing air boarding with Mimmo in gym. My best buds M.C., J.S., B.M., R.M., J.W., B.D.,H.L.-The Crew. Hanging out at Popes and Sandy Beach. My souls worn thin. Friday nights at Haiku. Hey J.S.,R.M.,"I hate you!" "Hey Kelly, a little red-eyed?" "Hanging out with H.L." I'm the master slacker. Matty Fatty Boombalatty. I can't feel my knees. Going to the S.T.P. concert with J.W.,B.D.,J.S.,R.M. Moshing at Metallica. Going fishing with Dad. Going to the quarries with J.W.,S.M.,B.M,K.T. I love you Mom, Thanks for all your help. I'm outta here.



Steven Lavigueur
Electronics

Tammy MacDonald
Commercial Art

Good times w/ Colleen fresh. year (grey pit, Matt scene, Mornings- Friendly's- D-N-D. Parties at REZ (don't drowned, camping at Rez, Golden-boy)worst time SOCO.The branch SNAPP. Hey Pat "MEOW" LOVE YA, Colleen,Al, Shauna, Alani, Vita, Dwayne, Keith, Jill, and bro Scott. Manda up the river, Mellisa C. "how you like it now?"Junior PREGO, Trip to"Cool World,"Arkansas,N.Y., Best day of my life 7-3-94All my love little Felix & big Felix! Good times w/Fozzie bear. All my love Memmal, Peppal, Sheila, Roger Christopher, Grandma Ford, A.Terry, A.Clara, Donnie & Minnie. White Mts. w/Al, Howie, & Smokey the bear. Hey Vita "bridge, pumphouse,Fireworks at stage fort." My diploma is dedicated to D.C. McWilliams..ALL MY LOVE 4-EVA TO MY SON FELIX DANIEL!!!!!!

Steve McInnis
Electronics

Jesse Malvesti
Culinary Arts

Best times with Amanda Hand and Mike Sweeny. Guys remember the river never ever saw a lunch period, never got caught. Mrs. Gula's class Sophomore year. The time Bill P. went to the river and had his little scene in math. A shout to Christine T. and Michelle M. Christine I love you and to Michelle I still want to get lost. "How do you get to Gloucester." When I look in your eyes by Firehouse? "So you want me to forgive you" you know Chris, Good times in shop. The fights in the dining room, yelling at Fortin in the bakery, getting yelled at in the kitchen by Chef. I'll remember Lucy in the cafe. To Fatty and Scott O. Why did you drop out? A special thanks to Chef D. And Fortin for the training. To Mrs. Mullen For the guidance.

Kimberly McDermott
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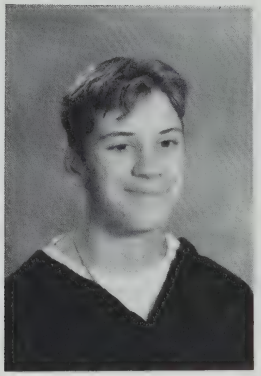
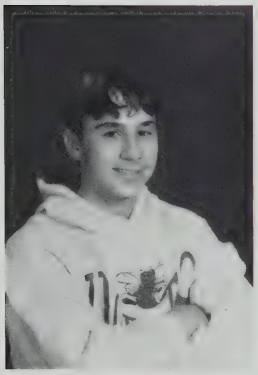


Ronald Miller
Carpentry

Mary-Ellen Mitchell
Cosmetology

Thank you everybody for making my years at NSTHS memorable ones. To A.H.(wherever you are), J.M. (mom's name) M.T. (nice frog), T.M. (Ms.B's class) and to all the people that have graduated (T.A.,S.C.,J.C.,J.W., and whoever else spent time at the river w/ me)you're the best man! To B.P. thanks for the good laugh and the low tolerance ("I think I ---- myself!") And a special thanks to my mom and dad for putting up with me! I love you both! And to whoevers name I didn't mention Thank You!
P.S.- S.B.,J.H.,H.L.,-I didn't forget you I just didn't have room!

Love Ya!

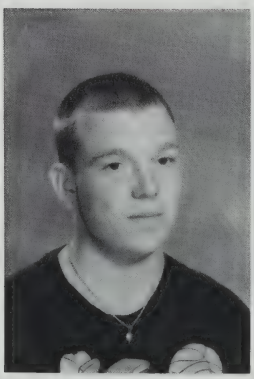


Tony Morin
Collision Repair

Girolamo Mortillaro
Culinary Arts

ah, the high school career has come to an end...hurray! I can finally get out of this accursed place. but i guess mingled into this hell there was some good times...the moy team, moy boy and bono are going to rule the world!, slamming everyone into smithereens, getting naked, reciting the holy grail and causing chaos with nate, crack that whip jeremy, wake up kevin, brenda is there an e in something?, the lady of the lake.but alas, time goes on & we'll all forget these years (thank god.) good night my friends, i hate you all. "i'm invincible! your a looney." bono...who was talkin to you anyway!...what's the point? we're all going to die anyway...there is nothing left. nothing to hold onto except the pain and the loneliness. goodnight...

I want to thank my mother Deborah Lord,my uncle Tim Parsons,my aunt Pam Schaejbe and my dad Brian McDonald for being there for me! I want to thank I.C.P. for teaching me things you can't learn in school, no love for the other side G.F.I.C.D. For all those people that didn't think that I wouldn't make, look at me now! To all the memories in the shack,stay down for whatever, I will! To the D.E. girls thanks for the memories,and you know who you are! Annette Bradley 3/3/95 we love and miss you! Look grammy I made it. I love you 6/17/92.



Justen Parsons
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I want to thank everyone who helped me through my high school years, especially my senior year. A special thanks to Mr. Hoffman, Mrs. Surrete and Mrs. Mullen for all your encouragement and support. Mr. Walsh-you were the best chauffeur to and from NSCC. Mr. Solazzo-pit stop at the Harley stop? Michelle M.-having a good hair day? I am. VaVa-have another apple! Ann F.-roastbeef and pickles for breakfast? Lunches at the mall junior year. Camping 9/5/93. Front row, center stage Aerosmith concert with my love 3/27/93. Spending the day at the Cross Bar Motel 6/94. My memories of softball with Mr. Balzarini, Mr. Hoffman, a all the girls is a memory I'll never f Volleyball went by too fast for me all the sophomores and juniors i classes, thank you for helping m thankful for being a senior. To n my boyfriend but also my best frie thank you for being there for me at a time in my life when I needed someo the most. I'll love you always. Mon Dad, Brenda, thank you for believi me!

Matt Pinion
Carpentry

Cynthia Prato
Culinary Arts

Out of all my high school years, senior year was the most memorable. I had a lot of fun and many learning experiences. To Jeremy: Not just the love of my life but my best friend! My life hasn't been the same since 5/7/93, "Sophomore Year!" I hope we'll last 4-ever. I love you,Sunshine! J.R., no one could compete to the times we've had. No other friend could cause me so much aggravation and yet be there in time of need. Always remember Nov.'94 F.F.! B.J., never change you're a great friend! To great times in Cul. with J.R., J.G., B.J., M.M., V.W., J.M., K.K. Thanks Chef D. for all you taught me! Hey Natural Studies, "want to go camping?" J.H., don't listen to anyone, you're awesome. Venessa, good luck in the real world. I'm glad we got close! I will miss you Mr. and Mrs. Lynch. Don't forget my smile! Most importantly I thank God for 2 great parents who taught me everything I know. Good-bye, miss you all!

N.N Freak F.S Geez Oh Man F.M Summer 94' Renee and Mirrors Image In Shop Dwayne & Chris the Moaner Thanks to Image for taking my side in the argument with Ms. Brown thanks Lou for making My life Interesting. Thanks to Vita for being a friend. Thank you Mr. Solazzo and Mrs. Skinner. Be Young. Have Fun, Drink Pepsi.

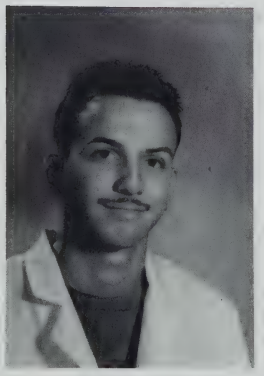
Ann Reeves
Cosmetology

Jannell Remon
Culinary Arts

Mom + Doug, you guys are the greatest, I love you guys so much. Cindy, I'll never 4-get you + all our good times, "Wendys" freshman year. Want some rice? We will be best friends 4-ever don't 4-get me. Love ya. To my lil bro C.R., you're great "herth"!! I Love you T.M., I miss you, I'll never 4-get you. Natural Studies "want to go camping?" Paddinngton whats up? J.G.-"nice chest?" To my loving cousin J.P. I'll never 4-get Nov.12,94 that's the day I became one of you. Love ya!! S.F, I'll never 4-get you. To all our good times. S.J. you little #!*%, just kidding! I'll miss ya. Chef D & Mr. Fortin, you guys are great, thanx 4 making my 4 years interesting. Love you guys. Cheering was awesome!! 2 my family and friends, I love you all. Everyone don't 4-get to smile. bye!!!

If You Only Knew.

How hard?
from N.Y. to Ma.
from S. Bronx to Rockport.
Action to Birds
Anything missing? Life
8 years, now lost.
Lost the way I felt.
Is it real?
Yes, now deal with it. Why?
I'm different.
Now a minority.
Racisim towards you.
Strangers.
Friends gone.
Top school gone.
Family gone.
Make the best of it they say.
I'm still trying



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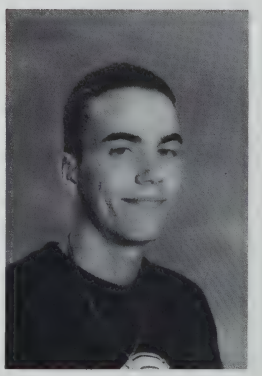


Kevin Silva
Carpentry

Jill Smith
Marketing

Ryan St. Pierre
Building Trades

It's been a long four years, and the time has come to move on. My stay at North Shore Tech. has been a lot of fun. I've met many students and teachers over the years. North Shore Tech. has an excellent athletic program that I've been a member of for three years and loved every minute of it.
I'm so greatful and very blessed with the trade that I received at North Shore. I'd like to thank the teachers that made it possible to learn,not only in shop but also in the classroom.
My shop teachers Mr. Petrillo & Mr. Petrone taught me everything I know about masonry.
Thanks to my mother, father, sister, and my special girlfriend Kim Osborne.
It's not faerwell to North Shore Tech. But good bye for now. Time to move on to college life in the fall of 95. At North Shore Community College. In the field of criminal justice.

Joseph Surette
Masonry

Vita Taormina
Commercial Art

Crazy days in shop w/all my pals. A.R. Don't forget my balloon & all the nights hangin'. Hey, don't Bogart that can, Ann, Go Jazzy! L.G. I luv ya babe and good luck. J.L. I think you're great! A.B. 17 yrs and going strong, keep in touch luv ya pal. CC Good Call, matchbooks!! Dwayne, you are my best friend and the nicest guy I've ever met. I love you and you mean a lot to me. I'll never forget you so let's always keep in touch. Mr. Lynch, I'm not doing aerobics, ever!! My thanks to Ms. Bianco and Mr. Solazzo for all your help. I'll remember you as the people who helped me accomplish all that I have. Nana, you saved my life and I love you. Mrs. Robinson, you're the best. Mom, Dad, Tilo, Barbara, Nicolo, Ellie, Laura, and James...I love you guys.
" I'm bursting with fruit flavor!"

I want to say goodbye to all my friends and say thank you to all my teachers for all they've done and for making my four years at North Shore exciting. I especially want to thank Nancy and Bob for not letting me give up. And my boyfriend Tim for being there to help me. Now that I am out of school, I hope I can make a good life for myself and you too Tim. I Love You!
I will miss u krisssty

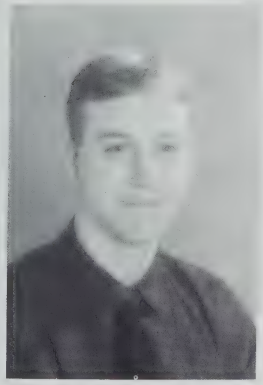
Barbara Tyler
Fashion Design

George Tucker
Auto Mechanics

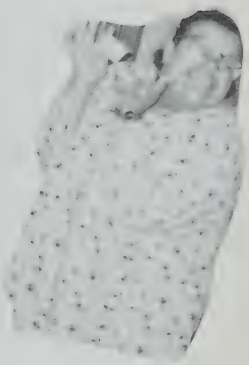
Brian Verge
Carpentry

Nicole Visconte
Marketing

Freshman and sophmore year in electronics. With N.C., S.M., C.C., K.R., B.W., D.P.(among the sleeping), and I driving Walace Atwood INSANE. C.C. stole THE-SHINY-RED-BUTTON. "I SMELL SMOKE" THE BENCH IS ON FIRE. THE COMPUTERS ARE BEEPING AND FLASHING. Junior/ Senior year in culinary arts. MUCH REJOICING with G.D., K.K.,D.L., B.J., J.G., T.D., J.R., M.M., J.M., C.P., yeeaaah... B.J. and I driving MR. FORTIN TO BAKE! AAAAHH! Thank you to all my teachers for being there when I needed them. I'm so glad I'm out of here even though I will miss all my fellow students but we must go on and reach higher goals...well some of us will. LIKE I SAID BEFORE I'M GLAD I'M OUT OF HERE NEVER TO RETURN AND I WILL MISS THIS PLACE.



Vernon Walsh
Culinary Arts



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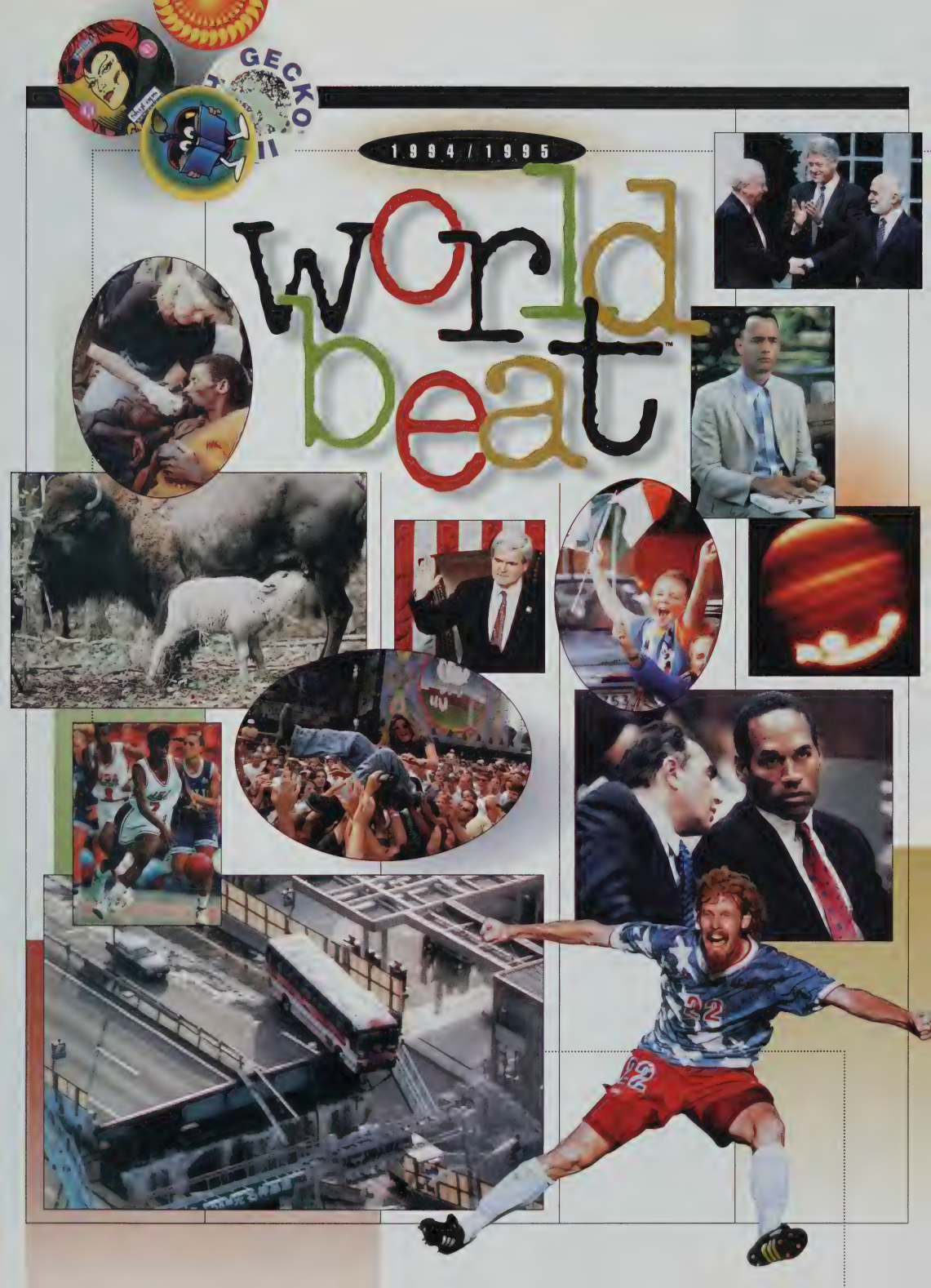
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World News

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Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein orders his troops to the border of oil-rich Kuwait. The U.S. sends 350 warplanes to the area to support the Kuwaiti forces. By October 11, Hussein orders the withdrawal of most of his forces.

Russian President Boris Yeltsin calls out his poorly trained military to subdue a rebellion in Chechnya, a southern republic the size of Connecticut. Critics accuse Yeltsin of resorting to totalitarian methods of the old communist Soviet regime to keep the shaky Russian Federation unified.

Europe's worst flood in this century kills at least 30 people across Europe. Inland floods caused by melting Alpine snow and relentless rains hit Belgium, France, Germany, and the Netherlands, whose famous dike system begins to crumble late in January 1995 in the face of rampaging rivers. Dutch authorities evacuate 250,000 people from the lowlands.

Camilla Parker Bowles, allegedly Prince Charles' mistress, announces her divorce from her husband, Andrew Parker Bowles. Princess Diana is said to be negotiating a divorce from Charles, who will be free to remarry without giving up the throne—unless unhappy subjects force a referendum on the monarchy.

More than 900 passengers die, 140 are rescued when the Estonia, a 15,500-ton Baltic ferry sinks off the coast of Finland in a violent nighttime storm. The storm's 30-foot waves swamp the ship which lists and sinks in a matter of minutes.

Reuters/Bettmann

After a peasant uprising in Chiapas and two major political murders, Mexico gets a new president. Ernesto Zedillo, an economist, assumes office only to face a stockmarket crash, a ruined economy, and a loss of international confidence in the wake of the North American Free Trade Agreement.

Bosquet/Sordo from Gamma/Liaison

Conservative religious groups and those who believe in individual rights clash over issues of education for women and family planning at the U.N. International Conference on Population and Development in Cairo, Egypt, September 5.

Joyful residents of Belfast celebrate after the Irish Republican Army (IRA) announces an end to its military operations in Northern Ireland as of August 31. After 25 years of British military presence and over 3,000 killings, the IRA says it will now seek Irish union only through political channels.

AP/Wide World

When their Army helicopter accidentally strays into North Korea in December, Chief Warrant Officers Bobby Wayne Hall and David Hilemon are shot down by the communists. Washington does not admit to espionage as the North Koreans want, but negotiates for survivor Bobby Hall's release by expressing its sincere regret over the intrusion.

Reuters/Bettmann

Tipper Gore, wife of U.S. Vice President Al Gore, visits Rwandan refugee camps in Zaire in July. Thousands of refugees, fleeing ethnic conflict in Rwanda, die of cholera, dysentery, and other infectious diseases. Fresh water supplied by the United States military greatly reduces the number of cholera deaths.

Palestine Liberation Organization chairman Yasir Arafat returns to Palestine in July 1994 after 27 years of exile in Tunisia. Arafat kisses the ground in the Gaza Strip, now a Palestinian autonomous zone under the terms of a 1993 peace accord with Israel.

Meiter Attar, Sygma

On July 25, U.S. President Bill Clinton welcomes King Hussein of Jordan, right, and Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin to the White House, where the two sign a historic nonaggression pact that ends a 46-year state of belligerency between Israel and Jordan.

AP/Wide World

AP/Wide World

Millions of South Africans travel weary hours and wait in mile-long lines to vote in the first all-race elections. After more than a century of white rule, the voters choose former political prisoner Nelson Mandela to preside over the dismantling of apartheid.

Jimmy Carter, former U.S. president and self-styled global troubleshooter for peace, negotiates on behalf of the U.S. in Haiti, Bosnia, and North Korea. He even offers to help settle the baseball strike.

AP/Wide World

In Japan, an earthquake with a magnitude of 7.2 collapses buildings, derails trains, buckles elevated expressways, and causes fires throughout the city of Kobe. Over 5,000 people are killed and 26,000 injured. The Japan quake occurs January 17, 1995, one year to the day after a quake devastated Los Angeles.

Larry Downing, Sygma

U.S. President Bill Clinton, right, and British Prime Minister John Major take part in ceremonies in June 1994 at a military cemetery during the 50th anniversary commemoration of the Allied D-Day invasion of Europe, the event that sealed the fate of Nazi Germany during World War II.

India suffers an outbreak of pneumonic plague, carried by flea-infested vermin. Workers in Bombay earn five rupees for each exterminated rat; one thousand rat-tails earns a color TV.

Catherine Henriette, ICONE

Chinese school children, dressed to look like Colonel Sanders, welcome the president of Kentucky Fried Chicken to Shanghai in May 1994. Few of the country's many foreign business ventures thrive, but KFC becomes a Chinese favorite. The finger-lickin' enterprise makes plans to expand its outlets from 28 to 200.

A triumphant Jean-Bertrand Aristide reclaims his position as president and restores democracy to Haiti with the help of U.S. troops. Haiti had suffered under the rule of a military junta led by General Raoul Cedras, who goes into exile after reaching an agreement with U.S. mediators.

Reuters/Bettmann

In one of the most successful antiterrorist operations in aviation history, French commandos storm an Air France jet-liner and kill four Algerian hijackers, freeing the plane's 173 passengers and crew.

Allan Tannenbaum, Sygma

Thousands of Cubans flee their economically depressed homeland, hoping for a better life in America. Many set off on homemade rafts and other small vessels only to be intercepted by the U.S. Coast Guard. The United States and Cuba reach an agreement in September that allows 20,000 Cuban immigrants to enter the United States each year.

national news

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In the wake of the 1994 Los Angeles earthquake and the southern California wildfires of 1993, California experiences more natural disasters in January 1995 when rainstorms cause flooding that kills 11 people and leaves 3,000 others homeless. Flooding is so high in Santa Barbara, fun-seeking teenagers dive off a freeway overpass into 15 feet of water. President Clinton declares 34 counties federal disaster areas.

In 1994, the U.S. registers a one-year population growth of 2.7 million. One-third of the increase is due to immigration, the largest such influx since 1914.

Author and humanities professor, Ralph Ellison, dies at age 80. His 1952 novel, *Invisible Man*, has been called the most powerful novel written about alienation, identity, and racism in America.

A huge increase in killings by 14- to 24-year-olds raises the nation's homicide rate, while violence blamed on preteens rocks communities nationwide. A boy, 13, is sentenced to life for strangling a four-year-old. In Chicago, an 11-year-old boy kills a 14-year-old girl and is then executed by his own gang. In Washington state a pair of 12-year-olds shoot a migrant worker.

The death of Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis in May 1994 marks the end of an era, a time when America was prosperous, fighting for civil rights, and heading for the moon. The former first lady is buried next to her husband, President John F. Kennedy, in Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D.C.

Sygma

Jeffrey Markowitz, Sygma

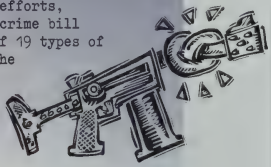
AP/Wide World

The prosecution seeks the death penalty in the case of Susan Smith, who dupes the nation with a frightening tale of the abduction of her two little boys. The community's early support grows quickly to hatred when Smith confesses to murder—she sent her children to their deaths at the bottom of a lake.

Called the Republican revolution, November mid-term elections put the Republican party and its anti-big government platform in control of Congress for the first time in 40 years. Georgia's Newt Gingrich, author of the GOP's "Contract with America," is the new Speaker of the House.

The volunteers for Silent March bring shoes from every state for one of the quietest demonstrations to ever take place in Washington, D.C. Each empty pair of shoes represents one of the more than 40,000 Americans who have been killed by handguns.

Despite powerful National Rifle Association lobby efforts, Congress passes a crime bill banning the sale of 19 types of assault weapons. The Brady Law goes into effect; in one month 23,610 people with criminal records are denied the purchase of a handgun.



Heat, drought, and lightning combine to set Western states ablaze in late June and July. Fires consume 2,000 acres in Colorado's South Canyon when 50 mile-an-hour winds whip the flames into a firestorm, killing 14 specially trained firefighters; 10 men and four women.

AP/Wide World

George Gerbet, Gamma/Liaison

The 37th U.S. President, Richard Nixon, dies in April 1994. Nixon was responsible for restoring normal ties with the People's Republic of China following the signing of the Shanghai Communique in 1972.

Rick Phillips, *The Janesville Gazette*

A rare white buffalo named Miracle draws crowds to the humble Wisconsin farm where it was born August 20. Native Americans believe the calf is the fulfillment of a Lakota Sioux prophecy. Five hundred years ago, White Buffalo Woman told her people that she would return as a white calf to usher in a new age of harmony between all races of mankind.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration blasts the tobacco company executives at a congressional hearing in March 1994 for denying that nicotine, a drug found in cigarette smoke, is addictive. Tobacco industry workers fear losing their jobs if the FDA succeeds in classifying and restricting cigarettes as a drug.

Weiner, Gamma/Liaison

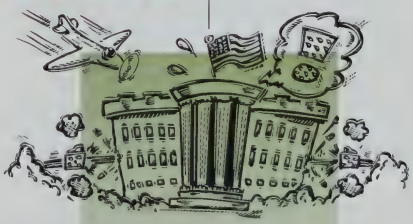
The Flint River overflows, washing coffins out of a Georgia cemetery after torrential rains from tropical storm Alberto flood Georgia and the Florida-Alabama panhandle. Thirty-two people die, 40,000 are temporarily homeless, and 10,000 square miles are underwater, causing $100 million in crop damage.

President Clinton, with Republican leader Bob Dole, signs legislation implementing the U.S. role in an expanded General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT), one of the most sweeping trade liberalization pacts in history. The legislation makes the U.S. a member of a new 125-member World Trade Organization. Protectionists worry that GATT may promote world trade but won't sufficiently protect American jobs.

Reuters/Bettmann

Former football star O.J. Simpson is charged with the June 12th stabbing death of his ex-wife Nicole and her friend Ronald Goldman, causing a non-stop media avalanche. The sensational case familiarized watchers with spouse abuse, a televised ride in a white Ford Bronco, "Kato" Kaelin, and DNA testing. Simpson faces the jury in January.

Tod Bigelow, Black Star



The Secret Service considers restricting public access to the White House after a gunman fires 27 rounds at the building's facade in October. In September, a small Cessna airplane crashes on the South Lawn and comes to rest at the base of the White House below President Clinton's bedroom, killing the pilot.

science news

flash

The U.S. Interior Department moves the bald eagle from its endangered species list to the less critical "threatened" category. The Pacific Northwest's spotted owl is left to fend for itself when in June a federal judge lifts the 1991 injunction that halted logging in the owl's habitat.

The fossil of a previously unknown dinosaur, the 25-foot-long Cryolophosaurus ellioti, is found in Antarctica.

Despite a so-called fitness craze, the National Center for Health Statistics confirms the American overabundance of food combined with a sedentary lifestyle is creating an epidemic of obesity. Since 1980, the number of overweight adults has ballooned to one-third of the population, with an alarming increase among children.

Some of the 599 newly revealed secret ingredients major cigarette-makers add to improve taste and texture: beeswax, butter, carrot oil, citronella oil, cocoa shells, corn silk, dandelion root extract, 31 chemicals that start with ethyl, oak chip oil, vinegar, and dimethyltetrahydrobenzofuranone.

Three planets are discovered orbiting a pulsar star 3,000 light-years away in the constellation Virgo. One is the size of the moon and two are three times more massive than Earth; all are rocky worlds without an atmosphere.

NASA

NASA's space shuttle mission 64 tests the operations of a Simplified Aid For Extravehicular Activity Rescue (SAFAR) device. Crew member Mark Lee maneuvers successfully outside the Discovery, while Carl Meade photographs him against the background of Earth.

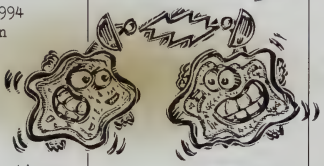
UPI/Bettmann

The century's greatest chemist and antinuclear activist, Linus C. Pauling, winner of the Nobel Prize for Chemistry in 1954 and the Nobel Peace Prize in 1962, dies at the age of 93. His work on DNA laid the foundation for Crick and Watson's discovery of the double helix.

Institute of Human Origins

In Ethiopia, anthropologists discover the skull of a human ancestor, Australopithecus ramidus, 4.4 million years old. The new species has features midway between apes and humans and promises to provide clues to still earlier evolutionary stages.

Autostereograms, popularly known as Magic Eye, cause legions of people to stare cross-eyed for long periods of time. Based on a mystery of neurology and 3-D objects, pattern elements fuse into left-eye and right-eye images of a single hidden object which appears to be floating.



Martin Rodbell and Alfred Gilman are awarded the 1994 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for developing a model of cell communication that has medical implications from cholera to cancer.

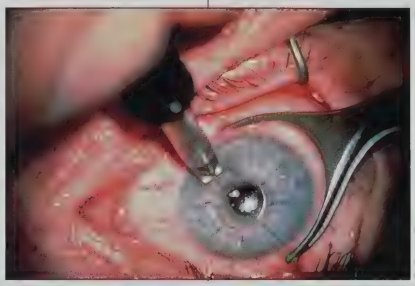
The Food and Drug Administration institutes new food labeling on almost all foods in response to consumer protest against the many misleading claims of food producers. The new readable labels provide realistic serving sizes, list calories from fat, and allow you to compare different nutrient values.

Japan's "Love Love Simulation" computer program allows couples to take a non-scientific look at future offspring by digitally combining their own photos to predict a child's appearance.

Max-Planck-Institute für Astronomie, Heidelberg, Germany

Astronomers wait at every major telescope in the world to see the historic cosmic crack-up of the 21 big fragments of Comet Shoemaker-Levy 9 as it smacks into the atmosphere of Jupiter at 134,000 miles an hour. Plumes of fire shoot up hundreds of miles, high enough to become visible to telescopes on Earth.

NASA publishes a new report supporting the theory that a giant comet hit Earth 65 million years ago and vaporized 100 billion tons of sulphur to create the cloud barrier that froze Earth's atmosphere and killed the dinosaurs.



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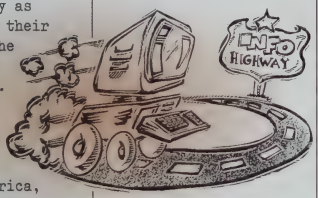
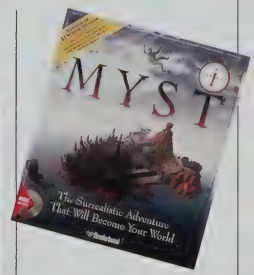
A long-term study of radial keratotomy finds it generally safe and effective. For the nearsighted, tiny spokelike incisions into the eye improve focusing ability and eliminate the need for eyeglasses. The patient is awake for the procedure.

Internet activity rises sharply as surfers find their way around the information superhighway. Advertisers, rock music reviewers, the worldly Voice of America, and others decide it's time to jump on.



Jean Clottes, Ministre de la Culture from Sygma

A cave is found in southern France, full of 300 vivid paintings of woolly-haired rhinos, bears, mammoths, panthers, and owls made about 20,000 years ago. The Stone Age artists also left behind bear skulls, flint knives, footprints, and fireplaces. Experts call it the archaeological find of the century.



The non-violent CD-ROM game Myst by Cyan, Inc. becomes a best-selling phenomenon, winning legions of devoted fans and spawning imitators. The fantasy-adventure's graphic visuals are hyper-real; the written word is the key to the mystery.

UPI/Bettmann

One of Lake Superior's enduring mysteries is solved by scientists and marine historians who explore the wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald, an ore carrier that sank with its crew in a 1975 storm. The ship, overused and in poor condition, was ripped apart by 90-mph winds and 30-foot waves. Most of the 29 crewmen are entombed inside the wreckage, well preserved in the 39° waters.

Gerard Lacz Animals/Animals

Cutbacks in military spending force the U.S. Navy to reduce its elite 100-dolphin fleet trained for use in sonar research, mine sweeping, and underwater recovery. Too tame to be released in the open sea, the veterans of conflicts from Vietnam to the Persian Gulf retire to aquariums and water parks.

lifestyle news

flash

The most popular names for newborns this year are Ashley and Michael.

Young people serve their country by volunteering under a new program called AmeriCorps, where 20,000 people aged 17 and up work with community-based organizations in exchange for $7,500 plus money toward college tuition or loans.

One percent of the nation's 50 million school-age children learn at home as families seek alternatives to public schools. In a handful of high-tech experiments, kids submit homework by modem, download books and artwork from the Internet, and collaborate on academic projects with other children around the world.

A survey of college kids reveals their favorite sources of sugar and caffeine during all-night studying to be: powdered iced tea, peanut butter mixed with marshmallow cream, baby food, ramen noodles, raw cookie dough, and trail mix made from chocolate chips, graham cracker bits, and mini-marshmallows.

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A lively new cafe society centers around the 5,000 gourmet coffeeshops which spring up around the country. To the often young and trendy patrons, the social interaction is just as important as the espresso. Some cafes offer full-time Internet links so patrons can sip and chat with other Internet latte-drinkers.

A new survey shows that over 12 million Americans are vegetarians, choosing the no-meat lifestyle because of concern about animal cruelty, cost-efficiency, eco-friendliness and/or improved health and fitness.

Besides recycled clothing like license-plate bustiers, bottle-cap jewelry, trash-bag and duct-tape dresses, fashion trends include the schoolgirl look with thigh-highs, and the grunge-turned-beatnik look of long, straight hair and a goatee.

Yoga, a Hindu system of stretching exercises for well-being, surges in popularity, mostly because the older generation seeks a technique for alleviating stress and finds yoga better than aerobics.

Colla; Gamma/Liaison

Aerobic boxing, with boxing-style leg and arm work, turns out to be one of the year's hot exercise trends, showing up in workout studios and attracting those who want to work off their aggression by throwing a right and a few jabs.

The hottest merchandise around is Mighty Morphin Power Rangers, so hot Cabbage Patch dolls pale in comparison. Parents criticize Fox's super-violent TV show, but their kids crave Dragon Daggers, Megazords, and the 4-foot, $230 battery powered car. "Go, go, Power Rangers!"

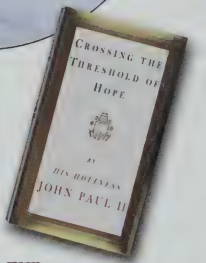
A hot new collectible derives from an old household item. Milk caps, known in some regions as pogs, originally capped the bottles left by the milkman but have now gone funky with colorful printed designs and variations that are traded and used in games.

Although most are forced to settle for Oakley wrap-arounds, stylin' kids, like in-line skaters and urban youth, clamor for Arnet's $80 Ravens with the silver-chrome frames.

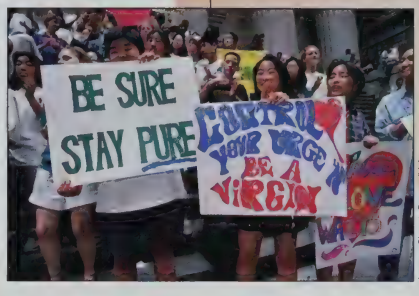
Led by brash young skate and surf types, two million snowboarders nationwide discover the joy of swooping down slopes on one board instead of two. No hard boots, no poles, no crossed tips, make it easier than skiing. Since their giant frozen wave is a ski hill, snowboarders annoy old-style skiers who want their slopes left undisturbed by shredders.

Nathan Bilow/Allsport

The first generation to ignore colas in favor of fruit drinks, today's young people give Snapple popular cult status. The trend breeds juice wars as Snapple imitators like Fruitopia vie for youth market shares and inundate the airwaves with Generation X-type advertising.



Pope John Paul II authors *Crossing the Threshold of Hope*, a blend of theology, evangelizing and personal remininiscene. It becomes a best-seller in 35 countries.



Jacques Chenet; Gamma/Liaison

Remaining a virgin in the face of peer pressure finds new respect among teens who defend their freedom to forgo sex in a sex-crazy world. The movement is both a demand for real love and a reaction against unwanted pregnancy and health risks, since today one out of four kids are infected with sexually transmitted diseases by the age of 21.

Will and Deni McIntyre/Photo Researchers

Kool-Aid makes a cheap hair-dye, an alternative to bleached hair with, say, Prizm Blue added for sheen. The "city fade" shaves the sides of your head and leaves the top longer, and the matted hair look is achieved by leaving the soap in and forgetting to comb.

It's called "the year of the cottage industry" as more Americans adopt different work arrangements in response to corporate downsizing, either by telecommuting or starting businesses out of their homes.

Reed Williams, Animals/Animals

The designer pets of the year are African pigmy hedgehogs, and some 3,000 find homes with humans. They are gentle, like to be petted, and need a once-a-day feeding of pet food or mealworms. They don't smell and will even eat your roaches.

entertainment news

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John Travolta and Samuel L. Jackson star in *Pulp Fiction*, an "extravagantly demented low-life lalapalooza with outlandish twists." The film's plot revolves around a watch, a briefcase, and a large syringe in a darkly humorous scene which reportedly causes a few audience members with needle-phobia to fall out of their seats in revulsion.

John Candy, the large and lovable star of films *Splash*, *Cool Runnings*, *Home Alone*, and many other family favorites, dies at the age of 43. Whether Candy played jerks, slobs or loonies, his natural goodness came shining through.

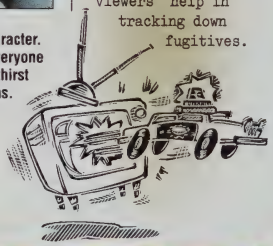
Gamma/Liaison

"Life is like a box of chocolates," says its title character. *Forrest Gump*, starring Tom Hanks, surprises everyone with its popularity, attributed to the audiences' thirst for the film's theme of simple values and good intentions. Fascinating special effects place Gump into real news footage with U.S. presidents.

With a tried-but-true storyline, the TV show "Me and the Boys," becomes an immediate family favorite, with stand-up comic Steve Harvey playing a widower who's left to raise three lively sons singlehandedly.

ABC from Shooting Star

Reality-based television programs rule the tube with "Cops," "American Detective," "FBI: The Untold Stories," "Top Cops," and "Rescue 911." "America's Most Wanted" and "Unsolved Mysteries" enlist viewers' help in tracking down fugitives.



Diego Uchitel, Shooting Star

Shameless prime-time soap opera "Melrose Place," co-starring Heather Locklear and Grant Show, attracts legions of fans with its silly-sensational plotlines and shallow-but-beautiful characters. Fans even buy the TV show's soundtrack and "MP" clothing.

Geffen Pictures from Shooting Star

Tom Cruise bites as the elegantly evil vampire Lestat in the film based on Anne Rice's novel *Interview With the Vampire*. Brad Pitt costars in the story that's been a favorite with millions of readers for twenty years.

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Every Tuesday night 20 million homes tune in to "Home Improvement," television's No. 1 show, starring comedian Tim Allen as Tim Taylor, the how-to host of "Tool Time," with his wife Jill and three kids. Fans love this funny real-life reflection of middle-class family life.

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Comedian Jim Carrey's career is s-s-smokin'. In *The Mask*, Carrey plays shy Stanley Ipkiss, who discovers that a mythical mask can turn him into a very cool green-faced cartoon-like dude. While waiting for sequels to *The Mask* and *Ace Ventura: Pet Detective*, Carrey fans enjoy current hit *Dumb and Dumber*.

Steve Granitz, Retna

Comic Margaret Cho stars in the first all-Asian sitcom "All-American Girl," about a college girl who's not making enough money to move away from home and has to live with her rigidly traditional Korean immigrant parents.

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The animals aren't cuddly, but Disney's 32nd animated feature *The Lion King* is still a box-office smash and a sure classic. The story of a young lion, Simba, on the path to maturity combines five Tim Rice/Elton John songs with comedy that leaves audiences roaring. Just say "Hakuna matata," Swahili for "no worries."

Fox from Shooting Star

"Living Single" is hailed as a New York City version of "Designing Women." The comedy is about four women who share a big apartment, and features Kim Fields and rap star Queen Latifah, whose quiet presence and dignity singles her out as a star.

Capital Cities/ABC from Shooting Star

Talented young Claire Danes stars as a savvy 15-year-old confronting adolescent anxieties in the ABC television series "My So-Called Life," which receives critical acclaim. Danes also stars in the movie *Little Women*, with Winona Ryder.

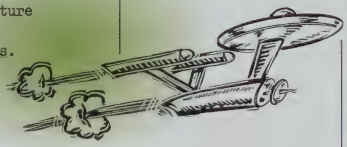
This year's Emmy for best comedy series goes to TV's "Frasier," the story of a radio psychiatrist with a dysfunctional family. Star of the critical and main-stream hit, Kelsey Grammer dedicates his best-actor award to the dog "Eddie" whose off-screen name is Moose.

Katz, Gamma/Liaison

Gamma/Liaison

After his villain in Shakespeare's *Much Ado About Nothing* and his title role in Bertolucci's *Little Buddha*, actor Keanu Reeves buffs up to play an action star in *Speed*, about a bomb and a runaway bus, one of the year's biggest box office hits.

With the first female starship captain, TV's "Star Trek: Voyager" is the newest offshoot of the enduring Star Trek phenomenon, after "Deep Space Nine," "The Next Generation," and this year's full-length feature Star Trek: Generations.



Lou Gehrig's last day, Sandy Koufax on the mound, and Jackie Robinson's arrival are all part of the Ken Burns film "Baseball," an 18 1/2-hour historical mini-series on PBS. "Baseball" touches on American issues of race, labor, immigration, the role of women, urban renewal, popular media, and the nature of heroes and mythology.

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Gamma/Liaison

Although his action fans may prefer *True Lies*, Arnold Schwarzenegger, with co-star Danny DeVito, cracks up audiences in *Junior*, where the strongman plays a boringly-serious scientist who tests a fertility drug on himself, learns the joys of motherhood, and falls in love with the baby's mom, Emma Thompson.

Barry King, Gamma/Liaison

"Baywatch," the world's most-watched syndicated TV show, is a feel-good action/adventure about a Malibu lifeguard, played by David Hasselhoff. Sunny beach scenes take the pressure off plot or character development. In tribute to its popularity, Mattel, Inc. creates Baywatch Barbie.

Fine Line from Shooting Star

Hoop Dreams is a documentary about two young Chicago athletes who dream of playing in the NBA. Arthur Agee and William Gates soon realize the dream will have to come at the expense of everything else. *Hoop Dreams* offers as much drama, excitement, and emotional ups and downs as anything to come out of Hollywood.

flash

After their Woodstock '94 performance scores them mass adulation and an onstage mudfight, punk-pop trio Green Day wins the title for this year's best new band. Their album *Dookie*, featuring "Basket Case," goes triple platinum.

LPs make a comeback when major recording labels give in to pressure from artists and fans. New titles are released on vinyl, as well as CDs and tapes. Pronounced dead in the '80s, the revived 12-inch long-plays come complete with the art-covered sleeves and lyric-sheet inserts that make them collector's items.

Liz Phair follows up *Exile in Guyville* with *Whip-smart* and songs like "Super Nova" and "Jealousy." Her music is said to be about self-parody, defensiveness, beautiful flaws, and cluelessness.

Futuristic noise mavens Nine Inch Nails and singer Trent Reznor drive home a point with their "Closer" single and hit video, from their album *The Downward Spiral*.

Mosh pit heroes Bad Religion get plenty of play with "21st Century Boy" and their album *Stranger Than Fiction*.

Beastie Boys release their fourth hip-hop album *Ill Communication* on the heels of their highly popular *Check Your Head*.

Superunknown, a 70-minute, 15-song opus, debutes at No.1 on the *Billboard* charts. Fans and critics say it's the best record of metal band Soundgarden's career.

music news

Brooks Kraft, Sygma

Music, moshing, and lots of mud define Woodstock '94. The 25th anniversary of the original 1969 "summer of love" has ATMs, Pepsi, and '90s prices: $135 tickets and $4 hamburgers. After happily grooving to everything from Bob Dylan to Nine Inch Nails, 350,000 fans depart peacefully.

Scott Weiner, Retna

Pop-siren Janet Jackson's body language and lyrics draw large concert crowds to see her perform hits like "You Want This/70's Love Groove." Jackson wins an MTV Music Award for her video "If."

Singer Vince Gill makes country music history by winning the Country Music Association's award for top male vocalist four years in a row. The CMA also awards him 1994 Entertainer of the Year.

S. Nannarello, Shooting Star

John Alaghian, Retna

Singer Sheryl Crow hits paydirt with her debut album, *Tuesday Night Music Club* with the seedy-but-upbeat sounds of "Leaving Las Vegas" and "All I Want to Do."

Jim Graham, LGI

They dress alike and rule Motown. It seems like Boyz II Men only makes mega-hits, like "On Bended Knee" and "I'll Make Love to You." Their second album, *II*, goes straight to No. 1 on the R&B charts.

With quirky lyrics and bass-voiced singing on hits like "Mmm, Mmm, Mmm, Mmm," the Crash Test Dummies' album, *God Shuffled His Feet*, becomes a chart-topper in the U.S. and Europe.

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Although Madonna's bad-mannered appearance on Letterman begets criticism, her album Bedtime Stories, with hits "Take a Bow" and "Secret," is a solid chart-topper.

Jim Graham, LGI

Jodeci, two pairs of brothers whose funky ballads coined the term "Feenin'," bring gospel harmonies to their new album *Diary of a Mad Band*, which goes platinum.

Eddie Malluk, Retna

Seattle rock band Pearl Jam and front man Eddie Vedder give youthful angst a good name as they rock hard with their third album, *Vitalogy*, considered their strongest yet.

Marc Morrison, Shooting Star

Nominated for best female vocalist, country singer Mary Chapin Carpenter croons at the Country Music Awards ceremony, but loses to Pam Tillis. Carpenter's album *Stones in the Road* tops the country charts.

Jay Blakesberg, Retna

It's a year of hits for buzz band, Gin Blossoms. Their top-selling album *New Miserable Experience*, covers "Hey Jealousy," "Found Out About You," and "Until I Fall Away."

David Corio, Retna

Hailed as the crown prince of reggae, Buju Banton's album, *Buju Banton: Voice of Jamaica*, pumps the party with "Walk Like a Champion" and "Man a Look Yuh."

EMI Records releases Live at the BBC a two-disc set of radio concerts recorded by the Beatles in the early '60s. "Free as a Bird," an original unfinished track by the late John Lennon, is finished, mixed with the live voices of Paul, George, and Ringo, and included in the set.

Ronnie Wright, LGI

Dismissed as kiddie artists, three 12-year-old rappers who go by the name of Immature, get a new sound. Album *Playtime Is Over* and hits "Never Lie" and "Constantly" pump them up to stardom.

Kelle Ladyko, Shooting Star

Hit single "Cryin'" wins MTV's Video of the Year award for singer Steven Tyler and metal band Aerosmith, who ride a wave of success and release their new album *Big Ones*.

The rock-spectacle Rolling Stones tour, named after their album *Voodoo Lounge*, combines a light show, computer animation, video blowups, and gigantic inflatable props. Millions watch the Stones prance through their classic and current hits like "Love Is Strong." Voodoo Lounge becomes the highest grossing tour in history with $115 million in ticket sales.

Scott Weiner, Retna

The Canadian band Cowboy Junkies, whose big hit this year is "Sweet James," sings of isolation and despair on their latest album *Pale Sun/Crescent Moon*.

Deniz Kalkavan, Retna

Powered to the top with their pure pop sound, Swedish quartet Ace of Base tops the charts with *The Sign*. Their sound is a contagious blend of reggae-splashed pop known as "China Reggae."

J Mascis emerges as a prolific and versatile songwriter for the punk-rock band Dinosaur Jr. with "Outta Hand" and major hit "Feel the Pain," both on their latest album *Without a Sound*.

Larry Busacca, Retna

Tommy Calder, Shooting Star

The Benedictine Monks of Santo Domingo de Silos release their CD, Chant. Heavy rotation on MTV turns the collection of ancient Gregorian chants into an unexpected best-seller.

Niels Van Iperen, Retna

Irish rock foursome, the Cranberries, tour the United States playing the sad, pretty melodies from their second hit album, *No Need to Argue*.

Jeffrey Scales, LGI

Rappers with a self-reliant attitude, Salt-N-Pepa keep their *Very Necessary* vibe going this year with hits "Shoop" and "Whatta Man" which wins them, along with En Vogue, an MTV Music Award.

Michael Benabib, Retna

Rapper Snoop Doggy Dogg's performance makes the movie soundtrack *Above the Rim* a best-seller. His video "It's a Doggy Dogg World," which reunites all the '70s black exploitation film stars, wins an MTV Music Award.

Sports News

flash

Ranked No.1, the University of Nebraska Cornhuskers finish their unbeaten season by defeating the Miami Hurricanes to win the national title. Quarterback Tommie Frazier earns MVP honors by guiding the Huskers to two fourth-quarter touchdowns and a frenetic 24-17 victory.

She was a pro at 13, a millionaire at 14, and out of the game at 17. After getting booked on charges of marijuana possession, tennis star Jennifer Capriati enters a drug rehab program and makes a comeback in autumn where she plays well but loses her first-round match.

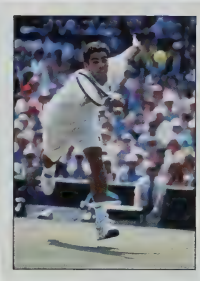
Former Wimbledon champ Andre Agassi wins the 1994 U.S. Open and beats champion Pete Sampras at the 1995 Australian Open. Called the most popular tennis player in the world, the tennis phenom has a new girlfriend, former model Brooke Shields.

The National Hockey League plays only 48 of the 82 games in the season this year due to a lockout. Following baseball's example, hockey owners put salary caps on their players, who strike but lose out to the owner's rule.

Track and field star Wilma Rudolph dies at the age of 54. The 20th of 22 children, she overcame polio, scarlet fever, and pneumonia to become a basketball star at 13, an Olympic bronze medalist at 16, and a winner of three gold medals in the 1960 Rome Olympics.

Allsport

Whenever the Magic, led by 7'1" 300-pound Shaquille O'Neal, score 110 points, the Orlando McDonald's restaurants redeem home game tickets for a free Big Mac. With the team selling out all 16,000 seats, the Golden Arches supply a massive Mac attack, consoling fans for the lack of a playoff victory.



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Pete Sampras defeats Gorn Ivanisevic in the men's singles final at Wimbledon in July 1994, for his second straight Wimbledon title. In January, pressure of defending the title causes him to break down in tears at the 1995 Australian Open.

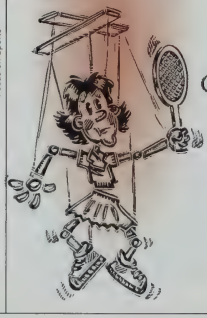
Allsport

Having already announced her retirement from singles tennis, nine-time Wimbledon champion Martina Navratilova waves good-bye to an emotional crowd, after losing to Conchita Martinez in her last Wimbledon match.

Focus on Sports

Pitchman George Foreman, 45, wearing the same red trunks he sported when he fought Muhammad Ali 20 years earlier, wins the world's heavyweight boxing title from Michael Moorer with a 10th round knockout.

The high rate of early burnout in women's pro tennis from media pressure, trainers, and sponsors causes the parents of Venus Williams, 14, to delay her pro debut.



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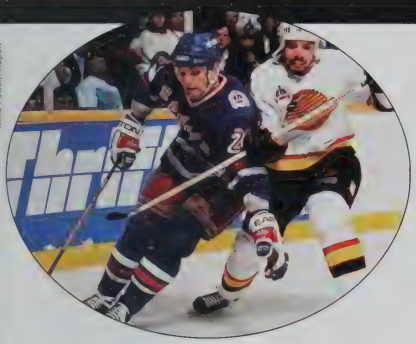
In July, Miguel Indurain of Spain makes a triumphant entry on the Champs Elysées in Paris to win the Tour de France for the fourth straight time. He wins the 3-week, 3,218 km contest easily, finishing five minutes, 39 seconds ahead of the field. Greg LeMond, the only American to win the Tour de France three times, retires from racing because of health problems.



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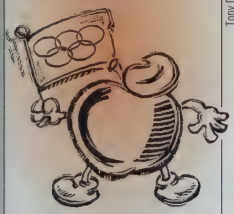
On June 14, the New York Rangers defeat the Vancouver Canucks 3 to 2 in the seventh game of the Stanley Cup play-offs, winning the coveted hockey cup for the first time in 54 years.

The Centennial Olympics will be in Atlanta, Georgia in 1996. The city will emphasize its multicultural aspects to honor athletes from around the world.



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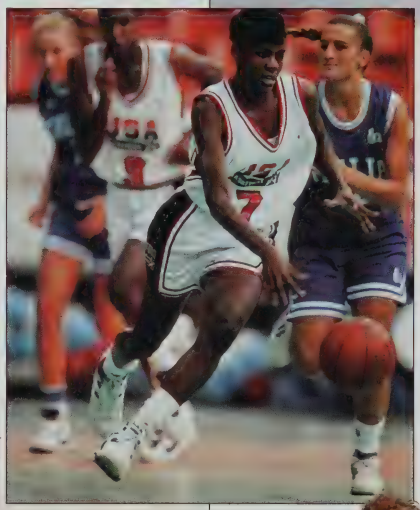
Dara Torres-Gowen becomes the first Olympic swimmer to model swimsuits in the *Sports Illustrated* annual swimsuit issue. Gold-medalist Torres-Gowen's sporty looks break the "waifs and glamazons" mold dictated by fashion.

AP/Wide World

Fans are openly angry when a dispute between players and team owners over salary caps and other issues threatens to shut down baseball. A work stoppage begins on August 12, and no World Series is played for the first time since 1904.

Strong, Gamma/Liaison

Tonya Harding, barred for life from organized skating for obstructing justice in the investigation of an assault on Nancy Kerrigan, is offered $2 million by the All Japan Women's Pro Wrestling Association to wrestle as a baddie.



Chris Cole/Allsport

Basketball star Sheryl Swoopes leads the U.S. women's basketball team to a gold medal at the Goodwill Games in Russia. Earlier she led Texas Tech to an NCAA title and signed an endorsement deal with Nike.

AP/Wide World

World Cup soccer comes to the U.S. for the first time: 24 teams play 52 World Cup games in nine cities to 3,567,415 fans, culminating in a title match between Brazil and Italy. Earlier the U.S. upset Colombia, but lost to the Brazilian team, who went on to win the cup.

In Super Bowl XXIX in Miami, the San Francisco 49ers beat the San Diego Chargers 49-26, in their record-breaking fifth Super Bowl win. Quarterback Steve Young passes for a record six touchdowns to win most valuable player.

Paschal Rondeau/Allsport

After 52 wins, four PPG Cup titles, and $10 million in earnings, Indycar champion Mario Andretti races for the final time in his 31-year career. The four-time Indianapolis 500 champion retires in October 1994.

Ernie Els wins the 1994 U.S. Open golf tournament in sudden-death playoff. The U.S. women's golf team, led by Dottie Mochrie, beats Europe for the 1994 Solheim Cup.

faces in the news

flash

Supreme Court Justice Harry Blackmun, 85, who wrote the majority opinion in Roe v. Wade, the landmark 1973 case that guaranteed a woman's legal right to abortion, announces his retirement from the court after 24 years.

The Charles and Diana fairy-tale-turned-sordid-soap continues: A German newspaper prints nude photos of Prince Charles; he publishes a confession saying he never loved his wife. Princess Diana is suspected of making crank phone calls; an old friend who claims to be her ex-lover hawks a trashy kiss-and-tell book.

Tabitha the cat spends 12 days and 32,000 miles in the fuselage of a Tower Air 747 jet when she escapes her cat carrier and gets lost in the cargo hold. Tabitha makes television appearances after her rescue with her aspiring-actress owner. Tabitha lost two pounds during the ordeal, her owner lost six.

The Florida judge would not allow Paul Hill to use justifiable homicide as a defense in the shootings of Dr. John Britton and his bodyguard outside a Pensacola abortion clinic. Hill is found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Anna Paquin, 11, wins an Academy Award for her performance in *The Piano*. Says actor Gene Hackman, "I guess now you'll have no trouble getting cast in your school play."

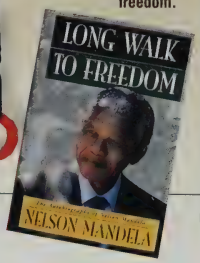
Reuters/Bettmann

Ronald Reagan, 83, announces he is in the early stages of Alzheimer's disease, which will cause him to rely increasingly on wife Nancy. Doctors say the easy-going ex-president should be able to function normally for several more years.

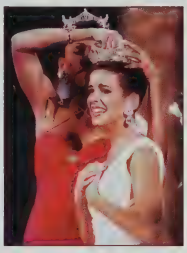
Despite hurled obscenities and death threats, Shannon Faulkner, 19, battles the all-male Citadel for the right to become the first female cadet in the 152-year history of the state-supported South Carolina military school.

Reuters/Bettmann

Nelson Mandela, an international hero who won the Nobel Peace Prize, writes his story. *Long Walk to Freedom: The Autobiography of Nelson Mandela* covers the author's 27 years as a political prisoner, his release, and black Africans struggle for freedom.



Sending a worthy message to pageant-watchers, Heather Whitestone, a deaf Alabama college junior who works with handicapped kids, is crowned 1994 Miss America by her predecessor Kimberly Aiken.



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In Singapore, American teenager Michael Fay is convicted of vandalism and publicly caned four times by a martial arts master, despite pleas from his family and President Clinton.

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Cartoonist Gary Larson announces that he will retire *The Far Side*, a feature that began in 1978 and has appeared in 1,500 newspapers.

THE FAR SIDE By GARY LARSON

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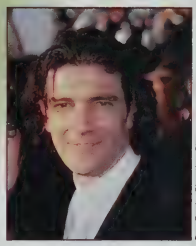
Applying his new fame to good works, actor Antonio Banderas, of *Philadelphia* and *Interview With the Vampire*, spends a week on a goodwill mission helping UNICEF draw attention to wartorn Somalia.



Ron Davis, Shooting Star

Former basketball superstar Michael Jordan improves his game for the Arizona Scottsdale Scorpions, a minor-league baseball team. He still has no plans to return to the hoops.

Jonathan Daniel, Allsport

In about the most surprising event of the year, Michael Jackson weds Elvis' daughter, Lisa Marie Presley in a secret ceremony, May 1994. Journalists wonder if the union isn't a business arrangement or an attempt to polish Michael's public image, tarnished by claims of child molestation.

AP/Wide World

Scruffy movie idol Johnny Depp and wispy model Kate Moss have a headline-making lovers quarrel. Depp is arrested for trashing the couple's hotel room.

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Model Cindy Crawford and actor Richard Gere, dubbed the world's sexiest couple, announce their separation. Hollywood books Crawford for her first movie.

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